

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

It will be a happy day when the curb stone brigade is put to work in order to stop their griping, to give their families a break for better living and get them off the main streets. In order for them to secure work on the projects expected at any day, they will have to register on the unemployed roll. There has been too much red tape about the relief roll, the WPA roll, the FERA roll, the old age pension roll, that few of those who want and need work know just what to do. Quite a number have been after The Standard editor to get them put on the roll and not a single one of them but what wanted to be a foreman or time keeper whether they were competent or not. And again we wish to emphasize the fact that we are not asking a position for anyone, but hope every man who wants to work will be given the right to earn his bacon and beans for himself and family. Those who do not understand what, or how to sign up on these cards, should get busy at once and have their card placed where it will get them work in the shortest space of time. And again, those who are assigned on this project work are supposed to give honest work for the honest dollars, or they may be taken from the work rolls and receive nothing.

The Ethiopians, the oldest christian nation on earth, are in sight of the most terrific war in their history and other christian nations should join them in their prayers for peace without fighting or victory. The Ethiopian christian hosts end the day in prayer while their Mohammedan warriors turn their faces toward Mecca in their devotions. The thing that disturbed the British soldiers during the Boer war in South Africa as much as did the Boer bullets, were the hymns they could hear being sung by God inspired Boer warriors as waded to them by the winds. These Ethiopians, poorly equipped in every way, are strong in the faith and with the help of God feel they will be victorious should the struggle be forced on them.

The Harmony Four, jubilee singers of St. Louis will appear at the C. M. E. church in Sikeston, Sunday, September 29, to sing. The public is invited to attend. They will be here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 8:00 o'clock. The admission price will be 10 cents. White friends are invited. These singers come well recommended.

The Fat Lean baseball clubs of the colored Methodist church will have a match game at the baseball park Friday afternoon, September 27. These clubs are composed of the women of the church and the price of 10 cents admission will be applied on their church debt. A good crowd is hoped for.

Anyway the big Nordbeck engine is placed on a foundation sunk below the floor level and is functioning 100 per cent. The signed contract called for an engine 15 feet and 10 inches in the clear while the working drawings of blue prints gave it as 18 feet and 6 inches. So that is clear.

In a Southeast Missouri cemetery is a family lot 24x24 feet. In one corner is a small slab stone bearing the inscription, "Henry, my first husband," only the name is different. In another corner the slab stone read, "John, my second husband," another, "James, my third husband." In the fourth corner was, "Michael, my fourth husband." In the center was an imposing stone on which was cut, "Helen, our wife."

"Back in circulation" is the way the Kansas City Post-Journal refers to Elaine Barrie, the 19-year-old hunk of cheese that John Barrymore had with him on an ocean cruise. And we suppose that is right, too. These actress girls seem to circulate quite a bit among men.

Six drunken girls of Charleston stripped the britches off of a negro youth in that city and thought they were having a good time. If the negro boy had torn the britches from one of these girls he would have been hanged to a lamp post.

The United States is now the owner and depositor of the greatest hoard of gold the world has known. Scores of millions of dollars in gold are reaching our shores monthly. They embrace the funds of foreigners who have little faith in their own governments and implicit confidence in ours. They have more faith in us than some of us seem to have in ourselves.

The Standard received a poem from a contributor with the title: "Sweetie", and we are afraid to print it as some women are so suspicious.

Young Democrats to Meet

Members of the Young Democrats' club of Richland township will meet in the city hall at 7:30 Monday evening, September 30, in the council room on the first floor of the hall.

Fanaticism Consists In Redoubling Your Effort When You Have Forgotten Your Aim—GEORGE SANTAYANA

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Little River Asks Condemnation of Scott County Road

The Little river drainage district filed a condemnation petition in the Butler county circuit court Thursday against landowners along the Ramsey creek channel in Scott county.

The defendants—John W. Bristol, Arthur Popp, W. O. Bowman, Popp's trustee J. C. Southard, and Sherman Gross—refuse to agree on right of way costs along the creek, where levee and channel work is being done, the plaintiff alleges. They are to appear in court October 3 to show cause why commissioners should not be appointed.

The Ramsey channel and levee were built in 1915 and 1916, eight years after the Little river drainage district was organized. The plaintiff contends. "That the Ramsey Creek Channel diverts the rainfall from a large area of the hill section of Scott county northward and eastward through Ramsey Creek Channel to its junction with the headwater diversion channel and thence into the Mississippi river

Relief Clients Urged to Register for WPA Work

Numerous persons who deserve employment here by the works progress administration have failed to qualify properly it was learned yesterday.

For this reason, a relief official has emphasized two steps which must be taken by all men and women expecting to be assigned to WPA jobs; First they must be certified by Mrs. Iva Mitchell, who is the Sikeston districts FE-

Sikeston Women Named Delegates to Missouri Democratic Convention

Six delegates and six alternates to a state convention of Democratic women's clubs in Jefferson City on October 8 and 9 were elected Saturday at a meeting of the Scott county women's Democratic organization held in Benton.

Delegates are Mrs. John G. Powell and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., of Sikeston; Mrs. O. L. Spencer of Benton; Mrs. V. Ragsdale and Mrs. E. J. Purcell of Illinois; and Mrs. T. P. Johnson of Chaffee.

Campaign Started For C. E. Convention Funds

Young people of Sikeston churches will devote this week to a drive to secure registrations for the state Christian Endeavor convention to be held here in November.

Calling on members of their own denominations they will request payment of \$1 registration fees, which will entitle each holder to attend every session of the meeting. Funds obtained will be used to pay convention expenses.

Since for the first time in the history of the organization a state conference will be held in a town the size of Sikeston, young people planning the drive here are particularly anxious that it be a success. Between 350 and 500 delegates from throughout Missouri are expected to come here for sessions, which will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church.

BULLDOGS FALL BEFORE JONESBORO TEAM'S DRIVE

The Sikeston Bulldogs were defeated 0 to 19 Friday night in their opening game of the season with the Jonesboro, Ark., eleven on the Hurricanes' home field.

Bulldogs did not reach within forty yards of scoring over the Jonesboro men, who outweighed their opponents an average of twenty pounds. The Hurricanes scored in the second, third, and fourth quarters. Charles Rushing and Clay Mitchell, backs, and Charles Beal, end were outstanding Sikeston players.

Last year Jonesboro defeated Sikeston 18 to 7 here. At Cape Girardeau Friday night, the Central High Tigers beat Perryville 26 to 0. The Bulldogs will meet Central in the Cape on October 4, the date of their next game, and Perryville away from home on November 8.

Paplar Bluff eleven 6 to 0 and Jackson defeated Chaffee 24 to 0. Sikeston will play Chaffee here October 25.

ANDERSON TO ENROLL AT LOUISIANA UNIVERSITY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson will leave this week for Louisiana where Mr. Anderson will enroll in the state university at Baton Rouge to complete work for his degree of bachelor of science in agriculture. Mrs. Anderson will stay in St. Martinville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Desons.

Mr. Anderson will specialize in the study of cotton, and may, before he leaves, secure a master of arts degree. While he is at the university, he will also supervise students at their agricultural farm.

Mr. Anderson completed almost enough work for a degree at the University of Wisconsin. Until recently he was connected with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company office here.

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Gid Daniels. The four sentenced will work out their fines. Judge Carter released the three women defendants Monday morning on provision that they return to their homes near Gray Ridge and remain from Sikeston for at least two years. Browning paid the fine assessed against him.

MISSOURI'S PRODUCTION OF COTTON IS SMALLER

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 17.—The Missouri cotton production is estimated at 221,000 bales based upon the September 1 condition of 72 per cent. This compares with the 1934 production of 242,000 bales and the condition of the crop at this time last year was 61 per cent compared with the 10-year average September condition of 67 per cent.

The cotton crop in Missouri this year had a very slow start and much of the acreage had to be replanted due to unfavorable weather conditions. During the months of July and August the crop made a very rapid improvement and the present condition is above the average condition, according to T. F. McDonough, Associate Statistician, Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

Plants have fruited well with very little shedding but great damage is being done by the leaf worm and already the second brood has appeared. Damage during the month of August was confined to the foliage and in many fields the leaves were laced by the leaf worm. In a recent survey made by Mr. McDonough forty fields at intervals of five miles were visited all the important cotton counties and leaf worms were found in all but three fields, varying from a slight trace to a very heavy infestation.

Condition of the cotton crop by counties on September 1 ranges from 57 per cent of normal to 77 per cent of normal with the lowest conditions being in Howell and Ozark counties and the highest conditions being in Dunklin and Scott counties. The condition of the cotton crop is as follows: Howell, 57 per cent; Oregon, 75 per cent; Ozark, 61 per cent; Ripley, 66 per cent; Taney, 69 per cent; Butler, 65 per cent; Dunklin, 77 per cent; Mississippi, 66 per cent; New Madrid, 70 per cent; Pemiscot, 71 per cent; Scott, 77 per cent; Stoddard, 71 per cent.

The indicated yield per acre this year is 330 pounds as compared with 366 pounds in 1934 and 268 pounds, the 10-year average yield, 1924 to 1933.

Acreage abandonment this year amounted to 1.5 per cent which is about average.

The United States production based on the September condition of 64.5 per cent indicates a production of 11,489,000 bales as compared with 9,636,000 bales picked in 1934. One million bales of this increase are accounted for by the state of Texas and their September 1 condition indicates a production of 3,467,000 bales against 2,406,000 bales picked in 1934. Second most important cotton state, Mississippi, which has an indicated production for 1935 of 1,239,000 bales as compared with 1,143,000 bales picked in 1934.

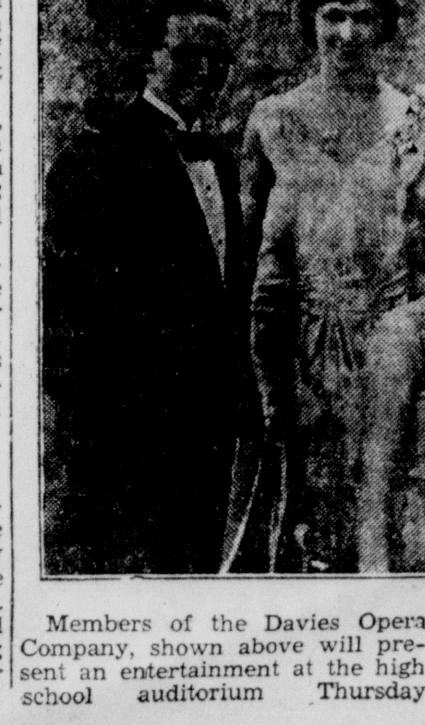
Miss Polly McDonough of Morley, well-known in this community, was a Sikeston visitor Friday afternoon. During the season she has been cashier on the Steamer "President" and left that evening for Cairo to join her boat, which was bound for New Orleans.

Mrs. M. E. Prouty went to Shady Grove, Ky., yesterday morning where she will visit for a month with her brother, Jr. C. Hopkins, and family, sister, Mrs. Willie Robinson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Langley of Pig-gott, Ark., visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Langley. L. B. Patterson and children spent Sunday in Portageville with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Mark Fuller, and family. They also went down to make the acquaintance of Joanne Marie who arrived last Tuesday. Mrs. Patterson, who had been with her daughter since Tuesday, returned home with her family.

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LIGHT OPERA GROUP TO PERFORM



Members of the Davies Opera Company, shown above will present an entertainment at the high school auditorium Thursday morning. The performance will be the first of eight included in the school's lyceum course for this year.

Well-Known Architect Has Opened Office Here

Miss Alice Walton, a Kansas City architect, has this week opened an office in the Young building on Center Street.

Leaving her former home, Miss Walton came to Southeast Missouri primarily to superintend work on a farm she had bought near Marston. Seeing the land, she has become enthusiastic about it and now intends to build a small home on her tract and to discover how far she can progress with little capital. She will drive here to her office each day to interview clients.

While she was in Kansas City, Miss Walton drew plans for large business district developments, for a golf clubhouse, and for residences; but since she was particularly successful in designing homes for clients, she specialized in that phase of architecture.

Her work with small residences was especially notable, gaining her widespread recognition not only in Kansas City but throughout the country.

Three Men Accused of Leaving Accident Scenes

Three men were placed in the Charleston jail Sunday night to await hearings on charges of leaving the scene of an accident after G. W. Hayes and his 9-year-old son, Arnold A. Hayes, of near Bertrand had been struck and injured by an automobile west-bound on Highway 60.

Hayes, his son and several companions were walking west on the pavement after attending church services when the accident happened. Both escaped serious injury, however, and were able to return to their farm after Hayes had been treated for a broken arm and his son for injuries to his head.

The Plymouth which struck the two in Bertrand, also hit and knocked down a school sign and a highway marker. Before it was turned around and headed east again through Charleston, witnesses obtained its license number; and through the activities of highway patrolmen, the three occupants of the car were stopped by officers in East Prairie.

The men held are Lizzie E. Stafford, driver of the automobile; Sidney Layne, the owner; and Frank Edwards, all of Rector, Ark.

Y. W. A. TO MEET WITH MRS. LEE

The regular social meeting of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Meredith Lee, at 115 W. Gladys, tonight (Tuesday) at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is invited to attend.

Rents Room for Cafe

H. O. Farrow of Biggers, Ark., has rented a West Malone avenue store room for a restaurant which he will open soon. The room, located next to Jack Matthews' garage, was leased from the Matthews estate.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Watkins, of Montauk, Dent County, and children, visited over the weekend at the editor's home. They expect to move to Pacific, Mo., October 1, where N. C. has engineering work on the park.

A letter received here Monday by Mrs. Janie Bachar from her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Fish, stated that she and her husband, who have been visiting with relatives at Kahoka, Mo., for the past two months, expected to reach St. Louis on Monday, September 23, where they will visit friends, and planned to be home September 25.

Earl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boardman, who has been suffering from an infected gland, is now reported to be improving.

STATE PRICES FOR HOGS, CORN, WHEAT ARE LISTED

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 21.—State average price of corn for the middle of August was 92 cents per bushel against 78 cents in 1934 and 31 cents in 1932. The average price of wheat was 83 cents per bushel against 89 cents last year 39 cents for 1932. Hog prices show an average of \$10.60 per 100 pounds against \$4.80 in 1934 and \$4.10 for August, 1932. The price of corn has not yet reached the August, 1929, rate of \$1.03 per bushel. Our present prices are around 89 cents of the 1929 average, according to the United States Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates, E. A. Logan, Statistician for Missouri.

The production of corn in 1929 for the 1929 feeding season was 2,819,000,000 bushels; whereas 1934 production was 1,381,000,000, or 49 per cent of the 1929 feeding supply of corn.

The price of hogs this year at \$10.65 is 101.9 per cent of the August 1929 price of \$10.45. Total number of hogs in the United States on January 1 was 49,766,000, of 13.3 per cent below the 57,410,000 head, January 1, 1929. Missouri had last January only 2,303,000 head of hogs, or 46.6 per cent under the 4,313,000 in January 1929.

The slaughter of hogs under federal inspection for August, 1935, was 1,668,000, or 63 per cent of the 2,641,000 head. The total for the last eight months has been 17,173,000, or 59 per cent of the 29,221,000 slaughtered under federal inspection for the same period in 1934. The slaughter of cattle and calves has been seriously less than in 1934 but sheep and lambs have been slaughtered in larger numbers than last year with total result of a smaller amount of meat production than last year.

Prices in Scott county for August in 1934, 1933, and 1932 are listed here: Corn, 92 cents, 1935; 66 cents, 1934; 25 cents, 1932; wheat, 77 cents, 1934; 86 cents, 1934; 42 cents, 1932; hogs, \$10.40, 1935; \$4.40, 1934; \$3.40, 1932. Prices are generally the same for other Southeast Missouri counties.

George Lee and niece, Miss Hontas, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Denver, Colorado Springs, Longmont and Estes Park, Colo., for the past two weeks, returned home Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lee who had spent the summer in Colorado. While in Colorado Springs, they visited with Mrs. Eula Shanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman of this city, a former Sikestonian.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear nose throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday, Glasses fitted. tf-102

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BUILDING A BETTER STATE

"Why Social Health Insurance?"

By Frank J. Bruno, Department of Social Work, Washington University St. Louis.

The answer to why is that the cost of medical care has risen much faster than the income of the lower economic groups. Nearly half of the unskilled laborers and agriculturists do not earn enough money to maintain a decent standard of living. When sickness comes there is no savings available to pay for medical care. The more uncertain the income, the more hopeless is the outlook for adequate medical service.

It is clearly shown by many studies that the amount of illness increases with a decrease in income. That is, the poorer one is, the more likely he is to live under those conditions which produce disease—not enough food to build resistance and not sufficiently sanitary houses to give the proper protection against infections, especially tuberculosis, and when he becomes sick he postpones going for medical care longer because of his bad financial situation, and he is more likely to take second best measures such as to doctor himself or to use patent medicines.

Whatever may have been true fifty years ago before the medical profession reached its present stage of excellence, a substantial portion of the inhabitants of any modern country today cannot afford to hire a physician when they need him because medical service has increased sharply in cost. This is partly due to the long and severe educational experience through which the physician has to pass, but it is also due to the elaborate and expensive equipment of hospitals, laboratories and research units involved in treatment and the conquest of disease.

There is no way to reduce these costs. As a matter of fact, every invention such as insulin increases costs and so the prospect for the future is a greater spread between capacity to pay for medical service and its cost.

If the low income person cannot pay for his medical cost no system or private insurance will enable him to do so because private insurance would merely spread the cost evenly over the whole group, but generally speaking over a period of years each family would have to pay what it now pays. It would even be worse than that because if private health insurance really provided adequate medical service to the low income group its members would have to pay more than they now expend because under such a plan medical advice and service with its attendant facilities would be available upon need and would not be dependent upon immediate capacity to pay.

No plan of social insurance should be so organized as to discourage or hinder the development of medical service. Modern civilizations, especially their huge cities and industrial centers, are far more dependent upon adequate medical service than a city is dependent upon a fire department to protect it against a conflagration or a police department to protect it against disorder. We literally live in our large centers because medical science has largely conquered certain types of diseases. The future hope of the race is that it will continue its progress through new discoveries and new skill.

But the ordinary person, especially the economically weaker one, is about in the same position with respect to medical service as he is with respect to goods that he wishes to purchase. On the other hand, we have the development of industry to the point where it can produce almost everything that anyone could want and has a large surplus of workers eager to be engaged to make such goods, but no way of bringing the need of the user and the capacity of the producer together. So we have a thoroughly well equipped, competent medical service which has demonstrated in its service to the higher economic groups its capacity to conquer many diseases and ready to serve the whole population, but no way, short of social insurance or state medicine, has been devised to bring these two together.

John M. Howard of Gorin TELLS OF TAX GAINS TO HIM

"A few days ago, I shipped 14 hogs to Chicago which weighed 2270 pounds and sold for \$11.50, bringing me \$243.21," says John M. Howard, a farmer near Gorin.

"Early in 1933, when the government was buying up all the little pigs, I shipped 12 hogs and got only \$65. Some of my Republican friends try to tell me that there is nothing to this corn and hog program and that it was a big mistake of the government buying up all the little pigs. But I feel that the Democratic administration under the leadership of President Roosevelt should be highly commended in what they have done to raise the price of the farmers' products.

"They have done more to help and assist the farmers than all the Republican administrations combined. Surely, there is a vast difference between \$243 and \$65. For my part, I would not like to call back the kind of times and prices we had under Mr. Hoover, even though my Republican friends try to tell me that is what we should have."—Henry County Democrat, Clinton.

MISSOURI FARMERS IN
FOR GAY SEASON FULL
OF PROCESSING YELPS

Winter customarily is only a gay season for the society debt, but there are obvious signs that Missouri farmers and those of other farm states also face a period of gayety. Soon the radio and the newspapers will be filled with oratory and argument by Republican leaders who wish to painlessly take away from them their processing taxes.

All the farmer will have to do, after the cows have been pailed and the live stock bedded down, will be to draw up the old easy chair and settle in for a few hours of innocent fun listening to plans to substitute some good sovereign remedy for the processing taxes.

The farmers' gay season started rather early this year with a statement by Frank Knox, the Chicago publisher, and a talk by Rep. Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York. Knox finds a panacea for the farm in world exports and the invention of mysterious and at present unknown organic chemistry methods whereby cornstalks may be turned into flat irons and silk shirts. He is sure that if the farmers will just give up the processing tax and take the world market cure; yes, the same Simon-pure world market the Republicans have been using in campaigns for 20 years, they will be able to raise all they want and put in 24-hour curb service to meet further demand. Please honk your horn.

Fish appeared at Topeka with a presidential lightning rod instead of the customary feather sticking rakishly over the brim of the Borsolino Italian hat he affects. Fish said he wants to take the government out of business. He would do this, he said, by abolishing the processing taxes and have the government pay for farm products at a high rate. Another way to take the government out of business, he said, was by having the government set wage standards so as to retain the familiar "American standard of living."

While it seems to me to be a bad state of affairs when a county or community has to resort to a "hell-raising" campaign to attract any attention, it furthermore seems to be a fact that it is going to take something of that sort to make the State Highway Department take notice of Dunklin county and give us some of the things that this county is entitled to.

The business men of Campbell seem to be on the right trail when they had a meeting Tuesday night to which they invited citizens from towns that are affected, to stimulate interest in a campaign which they hope will result in selling the state highway department on the advisability of paving Route 53 from Holcomb to Quilin.

I was sorry that I could not attend their meeting, to which I was invited, but I have had some good reports of what was done. To begin with Campbell is in Union Township, which does not have one foot of paved highway in the entire township. (Of course there are some paved streets in the City of Campbell, paid for by the property owners).

Dunklin County was one of the first counties in this entire state which was "road conscious" and long before even the state had adopted a road-building program the people of this county voted \$1,200,000 in bonds to build roads

with, thereby cooperating with the federal government.

Now Missouri does not have to apologize to any state when it comes to road-building; we have good roads in this state, and our system extends to every county in the state, but I am of the opinion that our State Highway Department has sometimes been influenced by politics and personalities in the locating of its roads rather than a consideration of the community and the traffic to be served.

I remember a few years ago when we talked about trying to get Highway No. 84 paved between Kennett and Hayti, they brought up the question of traffic count; and then it was discovered that the intersections of Highways No. 25 and No. 84, was the busiest corner in the state outside of the metropolitan centers; and the count of cars on Highway No. 84 proved that the traffic did justify a higher type of pavement. But, consider how long we were getting that short stretch of road paved.

And here we have been trying for years to get No. 25 full width paving through the county, and what happens; they come along and with offer black-top on us, while other sections of the state, not carrying near the traffic this road does, gets the widest width concrete.

Reference to any road map will show that Highway No. 53, from

Wears Mark of Master Craftsman



DAVID TENNANT, 19-year-old London, Ont., youth recently elected international president of the Guild Alumni, receives the badge of office from Raymond S. Doerr, 23, of Battle Creek, Mich., retiring head of the organization, which is composed of the 45 scholarship winners in the model coach-building competitions conducted by the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild since 1930. Induction of the new officers took place at the fifth convention of the General Motors-sponsored educational foundation, held in the City of Quebec.

PAUL C. JONES IN
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Holcomb on to Poplar Bluff is one of the natural gateways to the Ozarks County, the Nation's Playground, for people coming from Tennessee and Mississippi.

The traffic which uses this road even in the condition it is, should be sufficient to justify a higher type road; not to mention the fact that his traffic would be greatly increased if the road is improved. But the men of Campbell, Holcomb, Quilin, Poplar Bluff, Kennett and other towns are going to have to keep on the necks of the State Highway Department if we get anything done towards improving the road.

MANY COUNTIES FINISH
OLD-AGE PENSION PROBE

Most of the Missouri counties of

small population and many of average population have completed, through their old age assistance boards, preliminary investigations of applicants for old-age pensions, according to Allen M. Thompson, state old-age pension assistance commissioner.

"It was not expected that the boards in counties with cities as large as Kansas City and St. Joseph and St. Louis proper, each with thousands of applicants, would be able to complete their work for several weeks yet," Mr. Thompson said. "But we are hurrying things along fast."

Under the law, the pensions are payable retroactively to the date of the application. Mr. Thompson said that he had learned that preliminary work in other states having similar pension laws required

as long as six months to complete, a period which he hoped to better by several months.

Alex Fine, Chicago grocer, is now prepared for any emergency. He has an extra pair of pants hidden. Three times within the past year his store has been held up by bandits and each time he was depanted as one way to keep him from sounding an alarm, after the telephone wires were cut.

The Rev. and Mrs. Verne F. Oglesby and their daughters, Amelda and Nancy Oglesby, left Thursday for Vandalia, Ill., where Mr. Oglesby visited his parents and appeared on the program of an annual pioneers' homecoming celebration. They returned Saturday.

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LEADING BARRISTERS TO SPEAK IN MISSOURI

Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 21.—A prominent array of barristers, including William L. Ransom of New York, president of the American Bar Association, are listed as speakers for the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Missouri Bar Association in Springfield, September 27-28.

The program for the two-day session was announced here this afternoon by Judge Frank E. Atwood, retiring president of the organization.

An innovation at this year's meeting will be a regional conference of the American Bar Association on the second day. Will Shofroth, Chicago, director of the national bar program of the national organization, is planning the regional meeting which is expected to attract many lawyers from Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky, as well as Missouri.

Ransom will be one of the principal speakers at the annual banquet of the association which will conclude the meeting on Saturday night.

Other banquet speakers listed include:

Dr. Manley O. Hudson, professor of international law at Harvard University, who is just returning from Geneva; Federal Judge Merrill E. Otis of Kansas City, and United States Senator Bennett C. Clark.

At the opening day's session Boyle G. Clark of Columbia, general chairman of the State Bar Committee; Judge R. E. Culver of St. Joseph, chairman of the State Judicial Council, and Robert B. Caldwell of St. Louis, president of the State Board of Bar Examiners will explain progress made by their respective groups.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held at the afternoon session of the first day.

Reiss Re-elected Director

John J. Reiss of Sikeston was re-elected a director of the New Madrid County Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company at an annual policyholders' meeting held in Malden recently. He and T. A. Penman of Portageville and Ellis A. Jones of Malden, also re-elected directors, will serve three-year terms. The company gained more than \$200,000 in new business during the last twelve months.

LIBRARY RUMMAGE SALE TO BE HELD OCT. 19

A rummage sale for the local library will be held Saturday, October 19, the place to be announced later. The public invited.

COUNCIL AUTHORIZES \$4283 EXPENDITURE FOR RESERVOIR MATERIALS

The works progress administration was ready last week-end to start work yesterday on the city's new water storage tank after councilmen had passed an ordinance Thursday night authorizing a maximum expenditure of \$4283.93 for materials. All materials will be bought by Barney Forrester, the city purchasing agent, at the lowest price received from competitive bids. The total spent is not expected to exceed \$4000. Bill Rohen is foreman of the project.

THE FIRST STEPS TOWARD A HANGING

Six young ladies of prominent Charleston families are reported to have had no end of fun Monday night when they are alleged to have "departed" the negro attendant at a certain business establishment here. It is not definitely established, but it is presumed that the said young ladies were "in their cups" and derived much merriment by separating the Negro youth from his pants, while he cowered in the corner.

These young ladies may not know it, but such actions as these besides lending no respect to themselves or their families, who have attempted, no doubt, to give them the proper training—have caused more than one man to be hung, probably right here in Charleston.

If the Negro youth had attempted the least shade of familiarity with any of the six girls, he would have been mobbed within a very short space of time, but yet, they, members of Charleston's leading families, stripped the Negro of his pants and had a high old time, so the story goes.

We believe that an attacker of a woman, whether the man be black or white, deserves hanging, but we don't think six supposedly decent white girls have leave to strip the pants from any man, black or white. Such actions encourage criminal attacks and hangings. We hope it is not true. —Charleston Courier.

CHARLESTON REBECHAS MET HERE MONDAY NITE

The Past Noble Grand Club of the Charleston Rebecca Lodge met at the home of Mrs. W. I. Sidwell on South Kingshighway Monday evening, Sept. 16. Supper was served at 6 o'clock after which a business meeting was held, and the following officers elected: president Miss Ruth Williams; vice-president, Mrs. Oma Brewer; secretary, Mrs. T. J. Clark; treasurer, Mrs. Erwin Lash; warden, Mrs. Ramsey Walton. Visitors who were present to enjoy the meeting were Miss Louise Williams, Mrs. O. F. Sitzes and Charles Hill.

MISS MARY SLATEN WED TO RALPH ANCELL FRIDAY

Miss Mary Slaten, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Slaten of Holland, Mo., was married at 7 o'clock Friday evening to Ralph Ansell, a son of Mrs. Anna Ansell of Sikeston.

The service was read in the Methodist Episcopal church here by the Rev. E. H. Orear.

The bride wore a navy crepe dress and a navy blue hat. She carried navy accessories and a bouquet of pink roses and lace ferns.

Her attendant, Mrs. Lynn Waggener, was dressed in rust crepe and a brown hat to match. Her accessories were brown and her flowers yellow roses. Mr. Waggener was the bridegroom's only attendant.

Immediately after the ceremony, members of the bridal party and of the family attended a dinner at the home of Mrs. Anna Ansell, 504 Sikes avenue. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ansell of Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Ansell was educated at the Holland public schools. Mr. Ansell attended school here. Both are employees at the International shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansell are now at home at 508 Sikes avenue.

Returns From Capital

Judge T. F. Henry returned Thursday night from Jefferson City, where he went Wednesday morning to attend a state county judges' association meeting. He was accompanied by Presiding Judge J. W. Heeb and Judge and Mrs. Peter Gosche.

HELEN SMITH ACCEPTS NEW POST IN WASHINGTON

Miss Helen Smith has accepted a new position with the Department of Reviews in Washington, D. C., she wrote in a letter to her parents, Judge and Mrs. William S. Smith. Miss Smith, who was formerly with the Department of Distribution, has also become a member of the faculty of the Thayer School of Dancing, which has moved to new quarters.

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MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

BIRTH OF THOMAS L. RUBEY

Educator, legislator and banker of Missouri, the nearly thirty years of public service of Thomas L. Rubey typify him as an ideal of the trusted, conscientious, unassuming and tireless type of public servant. Seldom in the limelight, in contrast to his distinguished fellow citizen of Lebanon, Missouri, Richard Parks Bland, Thomas L. Rubey nevertheless merits placement by Bland's side by virtue of his long career of devoted service to the educational and agricultural interests of Missouri.

Born on September 27, 1862, seventy-three years ago this week at Lebanon in Laclede county, of well-known pioneer family, Rubey was eminently qualified to represent the interests which he served. As a boy he worked on a farm in Macon county and throughout life spent much of his time in hunting and fishing in his native Ozark hills for the people and beauty of which he came to form a life-long attachment.

His education in the public schools of Paris, Missouri, and of Lebanon and at the State University, where he received his A. B. and M. A. degrees in 1885 and 1889, together with his subsequent experience as superintendent of schools at Lebanon, as school commissioner of Laclede county and as instructor in the School of Mines at Rolla, eminently qualified him as an authority of public education. Also his position as a successful small-town banker and man of prominence, first at LaPlata, in Macon county, and then in his native Lebanon, gave him an intimate knowledge of the interests and practical need of a farming community.

Rubey's public career may be said to have begun in 1890 when he was nominated by the Democrats of Laclede county for the legislature and elected in a county that was predominantly Republican. Thereafter, until his election to Congress in 1910, his public life was closely identified with educational interests. As the chairman of the House committee on education in 1891, he worked for the betterment of the country schools and introduced in the House the first teachers institute law ever passed by the Senate.

Largely through his efforts and influence the University received as a permanent endowment the \$646,958 returned to Missouri by the Federal Government for direct taxes paid by the State during the Civil war. As chairman of the special University committee of 1892, Rubey stoutly resisted the efforts made in the interests of other cities to change the location of the University from Columbia. During the same period, in 1890, he was elected and served

as president for the Southwest Teachers Association.

In 1898, Rubey moved to Macon county where he organized the bank of LaPlata after a seven year interval of teaching in the School of Mines from 1891 to 1898. Two years later, he returned to the legislature as Democratic Senator from the ninth Missouri district. In 1903 he was elected president pro tem. of the Senate and upon the resignation of John A. Lee as a result of the baking powder scandal upheaval, he became active lieutenant governor and served until 1905. During this period Rubey continued actively his efforts on behalf of education. He introduced into the Senate the school fund constitutional amendment which was finally adopted and ratified by the vote of the people, also the free textbook resolution submitted to the people in 1904. During the last two sessions he served as chairman on the committee on appropriations.

In 1905, Rubey moved back to Lebanon to engage in banking with his father, and in 1910, upon his election to Congress from the 16th Missouri district, transferred the scene of his legislative activities to Washington. Here he served for nearly sixteen years, identifying himself with the interests of agriculture, and was successively re-elected to Congress until 1928 with the exception of the Republican landslide of 1920. Outstanding among the agricultural measures with which he was identified during his long career of service on the House committee of agriculture, may be mentioned: A bureau of markets in the department of agriculture; provision for scientific agricultural extension service to farms, loans on farm lands by the Federal Reserve Banks, provision for vocational education, and the warehouse and food control bills. A warm supporter of good roads, he presided over the committee of the whole on the state of the Union during its consideration. Also, in one of Mr. Rubey's speeches was published the first schedule of parcel post rates, compared with express rates, in practically the same form in which it was finally incorporated in the post office bill.

An indefatigable worker, Mr. Rubey continued to serve in Congress beyond his physical strength and thereby undoubtedly hastened his death which occurred on November 2, 1928. He is buried in Lebanon, Missouri.

AGED BAPTISTS' HOME AT IRONTON IS SUED

Ironton, Mo., Sept. 20.—The Missouri Home for Aged Baptists, a corporation, of Ironton, has been

named defendant in suit filed here by attorneys for Mrs. Minnie McKay Moore of Vernon county, for alleged breach of contract, it was learned today.

Mrs. Moore contends that on June 16, 1927, she executed deed conveying 267 acres of land to the home, with contract provision, she would be paid \$3 per acre each year during her natural life. The petition maintains payments were not made in accordance with contract, her copy of which has been lost or destroyed. Judgment for \$4,277.66 is asked, as well as return of the land.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 20.—A raging fire that destroyed property valued by owners and fire Chief James Ames at \$72,150 swept through a section of the national stockyards here today, leveling three warehouses and two small residences.

The fire was discovered shortly before 6 a. m. by a negro watchman. By the time first firemen arrived the flames, which apparently originated in a wooden warehouse, had spread to several adjoining buildings and a general alarm was turned in. Fire fighting forces from East St. Louis, Belleville and Granite City responded.

Six hundred tons of hay, six mules and hog feed valued at \$2250 were burned. Fifty other mules were led to safety. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

BUILDING PERMITS (September)

Ernest Wallace, five-room house in Applegate's north addition, \$2000; E. D. Smith, four-room residence in the Chamber of Commerce addition, \$500; I. Becker, moving house from East Center street to the Chamber of Commerce addition, \$250.

VIRGINIA U. TO REFUSE ADM. TO NEGRO WOMEN

Richmond, Va., Sept. 20.—Alice Jackson, daughter of a Negro druggist here, will be refused admission to the University of Virginia, the Board of Visitors of that institution has decided. Meeting yesterday the board directed the dean to "refuse respectfully" the application for admission.

The young woman was an honor student at Smith College last year. Her application was one of several made with knowledge of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in a move to force State-supported institutions of higher learning in the South to accept Negro students.

WPA APPROVES FIVE PROJECTS FOR DISTRICT

Washington, D. C. Sept. 20.—The Works Progress Administration today announced approval by President Roosevelt of \$1,138,000 federal fund allotment for the works program in Missouri. The sponsors of the projects have pledged \$262,354 additional.

Mathew S. Murray, Works Progress Administrator for Missouri, will designate certain projects, totaling \$1,254,646, including the following:

New Madrid County—Grading, draining and gravel surfacing road. Federal funds \$3928, sponsor's contribution \$11,431.

Perry County—Grading and graveling 3 miles of county road. Federal funds \$1376, sponsor's contribution \$1425.

St. Genevieve County—Construction of reinforced concrete culvert on Fourth street. Federal funds \$1006, sponsor's contribution \$383.

St. Francois County—Painting school. Federal funds \$456, sponsor's contribution \$108.

Stoddard County—Repairing bridge washouts caused by high water in Little River drainage near Vanduser. Federal funds \$4192, sponsor's contribution \$309.

Erskine Kidd, 27, was drowned at New Haven, Conn., during baptism services of the Second Colored Baptist Church. He was led into the water by the pastor and a deacon. He was immersed once in water knee deep, but as he arose he lunged from the grip of the two men holding his wrists and disappeared beneath the surface. His body was later recovered in water 12 feet deep.

Miss Grace Ham is an assistant teacher in the Reserve, Kan., High School. Busy at her work after school, she did not notice that the building was deserted, the janitor even having gone home. Incidentally, he had locked the doors from the outside. There was no telephone in the building and no passers-by. It was almost midnight before a searching party, alarmed at her absence from her boarding place, went to the schoolhouse and released her. The news report does not say why she didn't open a window and step out.

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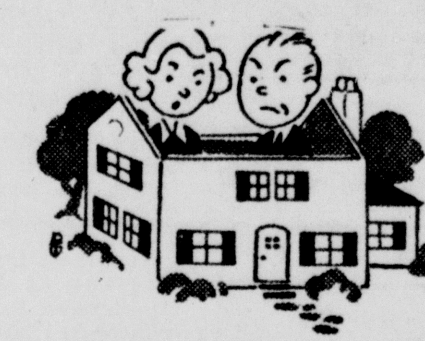
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Harry Smyth is a Kansas City detective. So, when he noticed a few days ago that a window had

been stolen from a house he owns, he decided to do a bit of sleuthing. That night he stood guard from dark to dawn. No one appeared. Next night he stood the same fruitless vigil. The following night he was too tired to do sentry duty, so he stayed home and slept. All the windows were stolen that night.

Harry Kerr returned Friday from St. Louis, where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.



And It Rained and Rained

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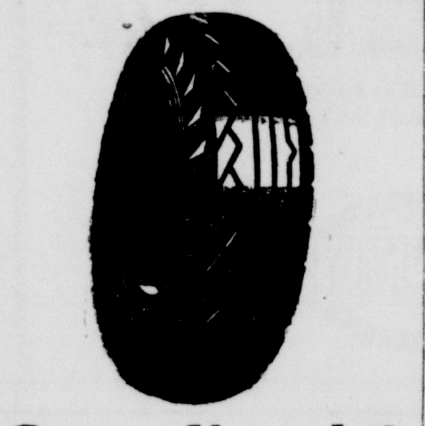
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Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sitzes and Chas. Lee of Charleston spent Sunday here with the former's son, O. F. Sitzes, and family. Miss Doris Hazard of DeSoto returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Catholic Ladies, Bridge and Pinchle Party, Hotel Marshall October 3. Second of series. Not too late to compete for grand prizes.

Watch for Graham Academy weekly specials.

Forget the hum-drum of life ten tons of coal. Well, before the edition was off the press we had a presentment that we had made a mistake in being funny. Monday we heard her tell someone that she was buying a new rug as an anniversary gift. Moral: Don't joke the wife.

Sikeston is fortunate in having the State Christian Endeavor meeting held here November 7, 8, 9, and 10. It is seldom that a city of this size is so honored and Sikeston as usual, will do her best to make each and every one feel at home. Full details will be printed from time to time as to manner in which all can co-operate to make this one of the most profitable and enjoyable ever held in the state.



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by enjoying a good bridge or pinchle game at Marshall Hotel October 3 sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

See the newest in radios. 1936 models of R. C. A. Victor and Crosley. Dempster Furniture Co. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Edwards, children and Miss Ruth Moore spent Sunday at Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Stevenson had the following at dinner, last Friday: Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Jones, Mrs. Floyd Albright and children of Sikeston; Mrs. Everett Lemons of Springfield, Ill.; Mrs. H. M. Fikes, Pestsu, and Mrs. C. B. Beauchamp, Hillsboro, Ill.

Why stay at home when you can enjoy a delightful afternoon at the Catholic Ladies' Bridge and Pinchle party at Marshall Hotel October 3?

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Edwards visited with relatives in Bloomfield the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Filling and children of St. Charles, Mo., spent the week-end here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter and family.

Watch for Graham Academy weekly specials.

Mrs. Max Reed and sister, Miss Bert Norrid, returned to Blytheville, Ark., yesterday, after being here with their sister, Mrs. C. M. Smith, Jr., who passed away last Wednesday. For the present, Mr. Smith and son have reserved a room at the Trousdale home on Kathleen avenue, at which place they have been living for some time.

Keep a place reserved in your date book for the Bridge-pinchle party sponsored by the Catholic Ladies at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth, of Poplar Bluff visited here Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Brase's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniels.

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Twenty-five were present at the Comrades class meeting held on last Thursday night at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Boyd Scillian. At this time a nominating committee was appointed to select new officers for the class.

The next meeting of the class will be a Halloween party, the place to be announced later.

A perfectly good chance to meet old friends and acquaintances and enjoy the Bridge-pinchle party the ladies of the Catholic church are sponsoring at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

Get ready for winter. Select your stove from our complete assortment. Dempster Furniture Co. Jane Emerson of Morley spent the week-end here with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Jones and family.

The following were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniels, Saturday: Miss Olga Chandler, Cape Girardeau; John Paul Jones, Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Lee, Sikeston.

Mrs. H. J. Piant of Cape Girardeau visited here last Thursday and Friday with her brother, P. H. Stevenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Moore and children went to Bloomfield, Saturday night to visit with relatives.

Get ready for the World Series with a 1936 R. C. A. Victor or Crosley radio. Dempster Furniture Company.

Mrs. H. M. Fikes of Festus, Mo., who had been visiting her parents Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Jones, and other members of the family, left yesterday for her home. She was accompanied to St. Louis by her sister, Mrs. Everett Lemons and daughter, Sue Ann, Springfield, Ill., and cousin, Mrs. C. B. Beauchamp of Hillsboro, Ill.

Miss Thelma Alexander has been absent from duties at the local WPA office since last Thursday, due to sickness.

Second of a series of six Bridge-Pinchle parties to be at Hotel Marshall October 3, sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

Poster Stamps in Color! Here's a new feature for Boys and Girls. It's Loads of Fun. Watch for the Beautiful Stamps in Color in the Comic Weekly of Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Waid Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett of Bloomfield.

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold a rummage sale on October 12. Place to be announced later.

E. E. Arthur, who is very ill at his home, was reported yesterday morning, as having rested well Sunday night. J. H. Tyer, Sr., was reported to be holding his own. Mrs. E. J. Reese was reported as some better yesterday morning. Mrs. Reese has been ill since last Thursday.

Mrs. W. Frewer entertained at two tables of bridge, Saturday night, in honor of Mr. Frewer's birthday. Prizes were won by Mrs. Margaret Black and Mrs. Mildred Trousdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Matthews, sons, Glenn, Jr., and Floyd Alfred, and Miss Charlotte Dover spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Miss Myrtle Dalton returned here to teach Monday morning after a three-weeks' illness.

An all-day meeting of the L. A. W. Class, First Christian church, will be held today (Tuesday) at the home of Mrs. A. C. Etzell. A pot-luck dinner will be served at 12 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Neighbors lodge will be held on Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock, at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Juvenile meeting at 3:15 o'clock. The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church, will be held on Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cox, Sr. The time will be spent in quilting.

Mrs. John L. Tanner, Mrs. Frank W. Van Horne, and Miss Alice Van Horne returned Sunday night after a trip through Kentucky with Mrs. Myra Mc-



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Connell and Mrs. Robert Lillard of Arlington, Ky. Leaving here Tuesday afternoon they went to Arlington where they remained until Wednesday morning. During the trip, they visited in Lexington and Paris, Ky., and saw the Jefferson Davis monument at Springfield, Ky., and Lincoln's cabin in Harrisburg.

On September 15 sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Heath and to Mr. and Mrs. Arch C. Laster. The Heath child has been named Robert Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Kennedy of near Sikeston announce the birth Wednesday of a daughter whom they have named Patricia Anne.

A son was born September 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Lendall Humphreys. He has been named William Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Murray of Sedalia, Mo., are the parents of 19 children, among them five sets of twins. Three of the sets are now enrolled at the Jefferson School.

BINGO PARTY

The Weekly Bingo party of the Catholic Ladies will be held on Wednesday afternoon 2 o'clock, in the old school hall. Hostesses: Mrs. Gordon Stroud, Mrs. Billie Walker and Mrs. Frank Vogel.

W. M. U. NEWS

The Royal Service program of the Woman's Missionary Union First Baptist church, will be held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. F. Sitzes. Mrs. Elzie Boardman, leader.

The Y. W. A. will meet tonight (Tuesday) with Mrs. Ruth Lee. The Intermediate G. A. will also meet tonight (Tuesday) with Mrs. Jack Johnson, president of W. M. U.

The Junior G. A. will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Dorothy Moll. All members of the W. M. U. and the Auxiliaries are asked to be present at the different meetings.

Drowns In Mississippi

Frank Kurtz, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz, formerly ferry boat operators, drowned in the Mississippi river near New Madrid Friday afternoon. The child died after he had fallen from a small boat in which he was riding alone.

BERTRAND GIRL MARRIED TO RAYMOND HARGRAVE

Miss Ruby Fitzpatrick of Bertrand and Raymond Hargrave of Sikeston were married in Poplar Bluff Saturday night. Cousins of the bride were attendants.

Mrs. Hargrave is a graduate of the Diehlstadt high school. Until her marriage she was employed at the Crossroads cafe. Mr. Hargrave, a son of Mrs. Maude Hargrave, attended school here. He is a member of the Simpson Oil station staff.

The bride and bridegroom are now at home at the residence of Mr. Hargrave's mother on Kathleen avenue.

MISSIONARY ZONE MEET AT ORAN WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday, a zone meeting of Methodist Missionary Societies, Scott County, will be held at Oran, which will start at 10:00 a. m. This is the silver anniversary year of the Woman's Missionary Council. A program will be presented and an address of welcome for new members of this year. All members urged to attend.

When Mrs. Josephine Smith opened school at Pateros, Washington, she had two pupils—both her own children. The district was without children of school age and advertised for a teacher who had "at least two youngsters."

Mrs. Smith answered the ad and got the job. There is an oil well in Cowley county, Kan., that flows only at night. It averages a production of 30 barrels a night.

PRICES FOR 20 CROPS ARE HIGHER. 27 LOWER

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 21.—Most recent survey of prices received by farmers for their products shows that out of fifty series of quotations, twenty were higher than a year ago, twenty-seven were less and three were the same, according to the United States Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates, E. A. Logan, Statistician for Missouri.

In general, grain prices are lower than at this time last year with the exception of corn. Vegetables and fruits are considerably less. Cotton is lower and wool about the same. Meat animals are much higher than a year ago; also poultry and dairy products are above last year with the possible exception of milk at wholesale. Butterfat is also under last year but country butter is higher.

Hay prices are down 40 to 50 per cent under those prevailing at this time last year. Grass seeds have all declined with the possible exception of sweet clover seed and timothy seed is only about 25 per cent of the price prevailing in the late summer of 1934.

Comparing prices prevailing now with those of 1932, out of forty-eight products, forty-three are higher and only five are lower, these products being apples (per bushel and barrel), pears, alfalfa seed, and timothy seed.

While Missouri farm prices have increased heavily over those prevailing in 1931, 1932, and 1933, the rates are not in most instances above those received six years ago in August, 1929. For instance, average state price of corn in August 1935 was 92 cents compared with \$1.03 in August 1929 and other leading products in the same order are wheat, 83 cents and \$1.15; oats 31 cents and 48 cents; potatoes, 70 cents and \$1.35; apples, 70 cents and \$1.25; hogs, \$10.60 and \$10.45 per hundred; average for all beef cattle, \$7.50 and \$10.45; veal calves, \$7.40 compared with \$12.00; sheep, \$3.60 against \$6.45; lambs, \$7.40 and \$11.00; butterfat, 20 cents per pound and 41 cents; wool, 22 cents and 33 cents; chickens, 13 cents and 21 cents per pound; eggs, 20 cents per dozen against 27 cents in August 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pierce and daughter, Mrs. Nadine Pierce Robertson, returned to their home in St. Louis, last Friday, after visiting here several days with relatives.

For the past few weeks large sections of the State of North Dakota have been overrun by myriads of toads, described as swarming over roads and fields, covering ditches and moving like a wave of superannated jumping beans. It was a general belief that they were "boiling over" from some satanic pit to infest the state. However, W. J. Breckenridge, assistant curator of the University of Minnesota, explains that they are merely seeking new homes in which they can hibernate because their breeding places have dried up.

When the teacher in the school at Bremen, Ohio, enrolled her class, she found two sets of twins, all from the same family and all in the same class. Frederick and Francis Kemp are just 7 and Mark and Mary Kemp are scarcely 6. They were born within the same year, children of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kemp, farmers.

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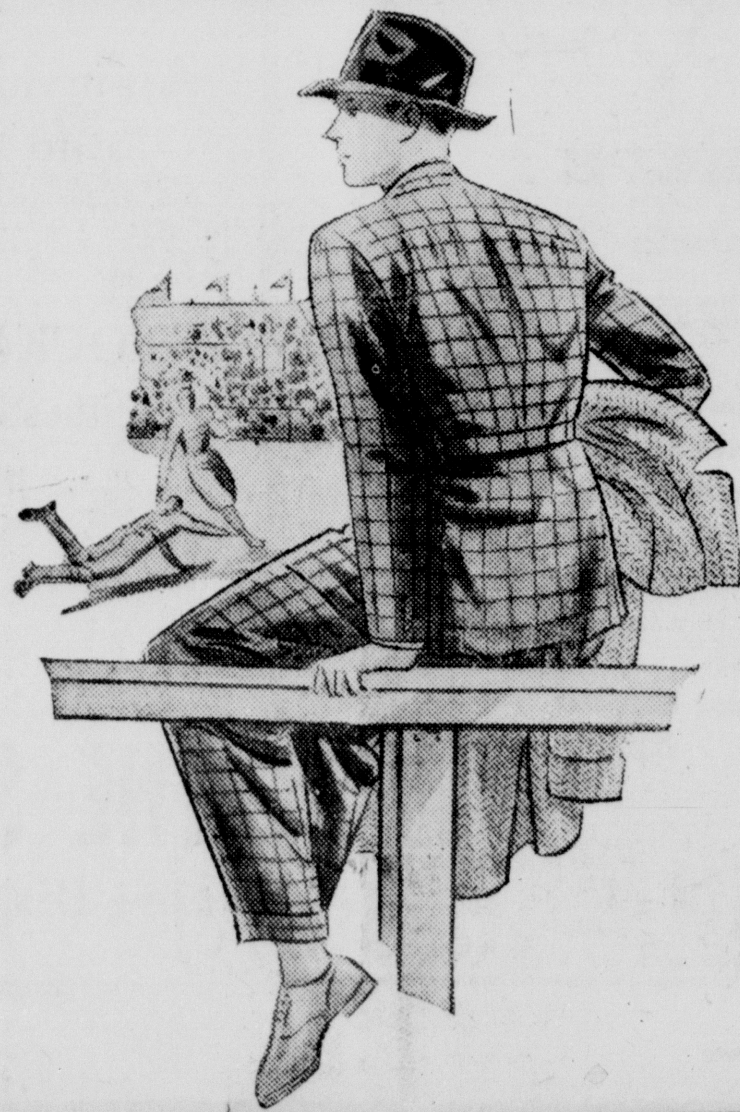
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Acquitted on Robbery Charge

Laverne Farr and R. L. Harris, New Madrid negro musicians charged with robbing Ed and Eva Dunn at a party they gave at their home near Cape Girardeau on Labor Day, were found not guilty of the charge when they were tried Friday during a circuit court session at Jackson. At the trial, the Dunks contended the musicians robbed them of \$25 with a shotgun. The defendants said, however, that they only collected \$4.50 due them for their services at the party. Judge Frank Kelly cautioned the negroes not to use a shotgun to collect debts.

FORMER CONVICT KILLED IN WRECK IN STOLEN CAR

A man tentatively identified as George Williams, a former convict of Paducah, Ky., who recently escaped from the Eddyville, Tenn., jail, was killed on Highway 61 near Fredericktown late Saturday afternoon when the stolen automobile he was driving collided with a truck.

When he was found, the dead man was lying partly on the highway's shoulder. He had suffered a hole in his forehead, a crushed left shoulder and the left side of his chest, a mangled left arm, a fractured left knee, and a broken jaw. The car, which belonged to Kenneth Lankford of Cape Girardeau, was damaged beyond repair.

Williams was being held in jail to await trial on federal charges.

Killed When Car Leaves Road

Claude Pitman, 38-year-old farmer of near Delta, was killed almost instantly Sunday afternoon when the model T Ford in which he was riding plunged off the Delta and Drum road and turned over.

Pittman, who was pinned beneath car, suffered crushed head. The accident happened a mile and a quarter from Allenville, near the Pitman home. Witnesses did not determine the reason why the Ford suddenly left the road.

WHEAT FARMERS TO GAIN

Wheat farmers of New Madrid county are in a much stronger position through the action of the last session of Congress in passing several amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act says New Madrid county agent, Leslie Broom. These amendments through validating all the adjustment payments, processing taxes, and programs already in effect, enable wheat farmers to hold gains already made.

The amendment also enact law until December 31, 1937, the present wheat processing tax rate of 30 cents a bushel. In general the tax is to be the difference between the average farm price and the parity price, plus not more than 20 cents of the difference to cover credits, refunds, and exemptions.

An important feature of the amendments provides that farm mortgage interest rates and tax rates per acre must be considered in computing the fair exchange value of a commodity. This would increase the fair exchange value of wheat about 3 cents a bushel, based on the price on July 15.

If wheat prices reach or go above parity, certain minimum taxes may be levied to assure continuity of the programs. These taxes are to be based upon the prices during the first 10 months of a marketing year and the last two months of the preceding marketing year. Provision is made for adjustment of the processing tax rate in accordance with a specified formula. If this provision should be determined an improper delegation of authority, the tax rate reverts to 30 cents per bushel as set by congress.

Wheat farmers have an added protection against new surpluses through the amendments that allow payments for removal of surpluses, for expansion of domestic or foreign markets, or for the production of the domestically consumed portion of any basic agricultural commodity. Such payment would be financed from the 30 cents of gross customs receipts appropriated by congress for this purpose.

Under the ever-normal granary plan provided in the amendments, if the need arose, wheat could be stored in years of heavy production for use in years of possible shortage.

Another protection which the amendments give to wheat farmers is found in the provision making it possible for the president to limit imports of commodities competing with commodities for which adjustment programs are in effect.

PROJECTS FROM IMPORTS

Southeast Missouri farmers will share with other American farmers benefits resulting from provisions added to the agricultural

Adjustment Act by recently enacted amendments, according to New Madrid county agent Leslie S. Broom. These amendments can be used to protect American farmers from undue competition of imported agricultural products.

Under the act as amended, the president is given authority to limit imports of any agricultural commodity which tends to render an agricultural adjustment program ineffective. If the president has reason to believe the imports of a commodity, or articles made from it, are tending to offset the beneficial results of any adjustment program, he is directed to have an immediate investigation made by the United States tariff commission. Such investigation shall be given preference over others.

If the investigation indicates that imports are tending to nullify the adjustment program, the president is directed to get quotas to limit the total quantities of such commodities that may be imported. Quotas limiting imports, however, cannot reduce the average annual imports of a commodity by more than 50 per cent of the annual average imported during the period July, 1928, to July, 1933.

It should be emphasized that the imports of agricultural products during the past year did not affect the adjustment programs, as they were really not displacing products which American producers had for sale. They were supplementing drought shortages in American supplies. Furthermore, the presence of some imports was concrete evidence that American farmers were receiving prices for the first time in many years that were above the world price plus the tariff.

\$60,000,000 in reduced rates during the past year.

Sales of farms by the Federal Land Banks up to August 1 of this year showed a 97 per cent increase compared with the corresponding period last year. So far this year a total of 4133 farms have been sold compared with 2093 in the same period of 1934. And the prices have been from 10 to 30 per cent greater.

Edgar Bean owned several novelty stores in Southwest Missouri and Southeast Kansas. When his 8-month-old boy died, a few

weeks ago. Bean was so grief-stricken that he disposed of his stores and moved three residences overland from Mulberry, Kans., to Lamar, Mo., He vowed he'd never see the place again.

The best business since 1930 was forecast September 8 by the American Federation of Labor in its monthly business survey. "The last four months of 1935," the survey states, "may well bring the highest level of industrial operations and earnings for any similar period since 1930."



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The automobile industry's steady recovery may be traced directly to the rise in farm income, according to W. S. Knudson, executive vice-president of General Motors Corporation. Continuing, he says "to find the reason for recovery, compare the number of hogs or bushels of grain the farmer has to exchange for an automobile today with the number he had to turn over last year or the year before."

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The refrigerator, installed last week, is of white and black porcelain and has space for large displays of meats. To set it off properly, Mr. Sellards re-covered his old cooler with new lumber and tin, on which he painted white panels trimmed in black. New black and white linoleum was laid on the floor and black paint was placed on the lower walls of the market.

Remodeling work was undertaken chiefly because Mr. Sellards required additional space for increased business. Consequently, the new display case was set closer to the front of the market than the former one had been, leaving a large room in the rear, where sausage and lard will be made and meat cut.

SUFFERS FRACTURED SHOULDER WHEN STRUCK BY CAR NEAR MINER

William King of near Miner Switch suffered a fractured right shoulder blade and numerous cuts and bruises Friday afternoon when he was struck on Highway 60 by an automobile Ralph Armour was driving east.

The accident happened on the pavement at Miner Switch when King stepped from a westbound tractor drawn hay bailer and thresher into the path of Armour's model A Ford coupe.

King was taken to his home after he had been treated here by Dr. G. W. H. Presnell. The Ford is owned by A. J. Schuenberg of Sikeston.

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SYNOPSIS Malibu, a deer, and Gato, a mountain lion, have been raised together by Tom Martin, vacationing in the Sierras with her father, an author. Martin had written a book about the interesting captivity. However, on discovering that Gato had been raiding the hen-coops and pig-pens of Bergman, a licensed guide, Bob Alden, a forest-ranger, in love with Toni, was forced to order the animals turned loose. Two years later Toni returns. On her first night back she saves Malibu from Bergman's trap and Gato comes to her aid. Now Malibu is battling for his life with the master of a doe herd. The big buck is about to gore him through.

COILED DEATH Chapter Eight

It was then, the big buck made his fatal mistake. So sure of his victory was he, as he felt Malibu weaken beneath him that there was the barest perceptible slackening of his hold. But it was enough Malibu heaved forward, his waning strength renewed by hope. In another second the larger buck was down on the ground with him. Scarcely able to see each other, for the dust their trampling hoofs had raised as they battled around the clearing, they kept fighting on, their horns locked together, pushing and straining all the time.

But as the minutes wore by it was evident that the chief's nerve was broken. With a last mighty lunge Malibu tore away from the buck's horns, then, with a supreme burst of strength rushed him, his



Sang Soo, curious and amused, reached out at it with a stick

spikes coming at him full tilt. But the buck had had enough. Getting to his feet he staggered off, thoroughly defeated, a woeful, crestfallen figure. Malibu now shook himself, flushed with victory.

Then he and his new found mate set off through the forest, walking slowly through the peaceful groves, content and happy. Trailing him obediently and willingly over the boulders, the doe would graze by his side and wade beside him through the babbling mountain pools.

And soon, on a day when a light snow was falling, Malibu found shelter for himself and his doe. Set in between some boulders and trees it was ideally located on the crest of a small knoll.

Then as time passed, the snow melted and vanished from the ground and the beauty of summer was again in the forest, with its green trees and wild flowers in full bloom.

And now the shelter housed a new-born fawn. Malibu would watch it proudly hour after hour as it lay nursing by the side of its mother.

One day as he was leaving the shelter to plunge into the forest, the doe after a minute of indecision trotted along with him. The fawn watched them for a few moments then he too, darted out after them.

In the woods that day, Bergman's helper, Joe, was engaged in the task of tying a bunch of carrots to a piece of rawhide hanging to a tree. Close by Bergman deftly attached a gun to a neighboring shrub, then, standing at the butt, he sighted off to get a bead on the carrots.

Malibu and his little family nibbled busily at the tender grasses as they wandered through the thicket. Then raising her head toward the low branches, the doe's eyes lit on the carrots. She stared at them, moved closer, sniffing around at them suspiciously with a backward glance at Malibu and the fawn.

Gradually, however, she became convinced that it was safe to eat them. Putting up her head to nibble at them she jerked them to one side. Simultaneously, there came the loud report of the rifle.

At the base of the tree the doe crumpled and fell to the ground, mortally wounded. Her last agonized glance searching for her family. Malibu and the fawn now ran to her side. The young one moved closer to her and laid its little head beside hers as if he would give her warmth of his own life. Then he glanced up at his father in mute question. What had happened to take his mother from him? But Malibu could only stand there in shocked bewilderment.

The fawn bent and licked its mother's ear. At this Malibu tried to force him aside by nudging him gently with his nose. Instinctively,

the fawn tried to cling to its mother, but now, Malibu, fearful of what might happen next, pushed it to its feet then walked away indicating to the fawn to follow.

Lonely and disheartened they moved over the boulders and when night had fallen entered the gate outside the Martin cabin.

They stopped at a point just between some trees and Malibu carefully inspected the house. Then he put his head down and tenderly rubbed noses with the fawn lying on the ground. Instinct told him that here he would be in the best of care, so, gently and stealthily he stole away from the baby deer then disappeared into the night.

Summer brought with it water sports and it wasn't long before Toni was indulging in two of her favorite pastimes — swimming and rowing.

She had fallen into the habit of taking the Chinese cook's little boy, Feng Soo, and the fawn with her. As the sun was hot this day she decided to beach the rowboat and go for a swim. At the shore of the lake she dug a stake into the ground then secured Feng Soo and the fawn, each to an end of the rope attached to the stake.

Moving to a clump of bushes she removed her slacks and boots, then dived into the water.

Toni and her charges, however, were not the only visitors to the lake. Over on one side Gato was enjoying himself hugely as he stuck his paw into the shallow water and slapped at an over-adventurous trout.

Swimming lazily around in the lake Toni caught sight of him and waved. "Gato! Where have you

Personal and Local Items From Brown Spur

Miss Hester Atkinson left Monday for St. Louis where she will take a business course there this winter.

Ruth Crowell, Jack Crowell, Fred Brower and Shirby Chapman were Blodgett visitors Sunday.

Mr. Jess Daniels and family visited Mr. Carl Pearson and family of Pharris Ridge Sunday.

Mr. Emory Tithy was the Saturday night guest of Oscar Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser of the Landers Ridge vicinity had as guests Tuesday the formers' sisters Ellen and Ruth Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dandy are visiting Mrs. Dandys mother, Mrs. Frank Larne of Steele, Mo.

Miss Lorina Heuser returned home last week, she had been visiting her sister Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge of Kewanee.

Misses Ruth Crowell Dolly Chapman, Mary Boston and Minnie String attended a dance at Puxico, Mo., Saturday night.

Dolly Chapman has been a Brown Spur visitor for the past week. She returned to her home near Morehouse Sunday.

Mr. J. Daniels, Shirley Chapman, Jack and Oscar Crowell went to New Madrid Monday on business.

The dance given at the P. V. Brantom home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Durel Alcorn was a success from start to finish. The bride received many beautiful gifts everyone wishes them a long and happy life together.

Miss LaVetta Beck was a visitor at the Thompson home Sunday.

Mr. Lyle Byrd had as guests old friends from Laforge Sunday.

Those from here who shopped in Sikeston Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Henison and children Lynn, Elma Lenina and Vernia, Mr. and Mrs. J. Daniels and children Faye and Hartsell, Leonard, Jack and Oscar Crowell, Author Atkinson, George Hunt and family and Mr. Lyle Byrd.

Personal And Society Items From Morley

Joe Emerson went to Cairo Sunday to accept a position with a Cotton Oil Co.

Mrs. Alford Bryant and children went to Chaffee Saturday to visit the formers' sister, Mrs. Fowler. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jewley and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Helley of St. Louis were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Halley.

Mrs. I. L. Anderson spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Dogwood. Mr. L. C. Leslie and daughter,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MO To the November Term, A. D. 1935

ACTION FOR DIVORCE NO. 5278 ORDER OF PUBLICATION

James Bullis, Plaintiff, VS.

Hermione Bullis, defendant.

On this 12th day of September, 1935, in vacation of the Circuit Court of Scott Co., Mo., comes Plaintiff herein by his attorney, M. G. Gresham, before the undersigned Clerk of said Circuit Court, and files his petition and affidavit for Divorce, alleging therein, among other things that the Defendant, Hermione Bullis, is not a resident of the State of Mo., and can not be served with the usual and ordinary process of the law of this State.

WHEREUPON, IT IS THE ORDER OF THE UNDERSIGNED CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, in vacation, that publication be made, notifying the said defendant, Hermione Bullis, that the Plaintiff herein has commenced an action against her by petition in the Circuit Court of Scott Co., Mo., the object and general nature of which is to dissolve the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant.

AND, unless said Defendant, Hermione Bullis, shall be and appear in the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott in the State of Missouri to be begun and held at the Court-House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on the Second Monday in November, next 1935 to-wit: MONDAY THE 11TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1935, and shall then and there, on or before the first day of said term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition in said cause, the said petition will be taken as by her confessed and judgment rendered accordingly as prayed for in said petition.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy hereof be published in The Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in Scott County, Missouri, once a week for four successive weeks, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the said November Term, 1935 of this Court, to which this cause is returnable.

L. J. Pfefferkorn, Circuit Clerk, I have hereunto set my hand and have affixed the seal of said Court. Done at my office in the Town of Benton, Missouri, this 12th day of September A. D. 1935.

L. J. Pfefferkorn, Circuit Clerk.

9-17, 24, 10-1, 8

Miss Nancy of Washington D. C. arrived late Monday for a visit with the formers' mother, Mrs. Lottie Leslie and his son, Joe. Mrs. L. C. Leslie stopped in Charleston with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Greggs and daughter of Sikeston were dinner guests at the U. G. Ragains home Sunday.

Mrs. Mack Morgan of Hayti, is here this week at the bedside of her father, U. A. Emerson, who has been ill the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bess and two daughters of Flat River were week-end guests of Mrs. Bess' mother, Mrs. Flora Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnston and baby left Friday for St. Louis and Mineral Point. The former entered the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis for treatment of his fingers while Mrs. Johnston is visiting relatives at Mineral Point.

Mrs. Phoebe Black left Monday for Denver, Colo., to be with her sister who is ill.

Mr. Richard Whittaker and Miss Maxine Daugherty of Campbell were six o'clock dinner guests of Mrs. Maud Daugherty and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Charter and Mrs. C. C. Bryans returned to their homes in Lime Haute, Ind. Sunday after being called here 10 days previous to be with their mother, Mrs. Dora Cangleton who broke her hip. Mr. and Mrs. Shorter will return in a few days to remain during Mrs. Cangleton's stay in the hospital. Her condition is fairly good.

Mrs. Melnotte of St. Louis was a guest of her brother, E. W. McDonough last Friday. They had not seen each other for 24 years.

Mrs. Ethel Foster of Racine, Wis., is visiting Mrs. Lita Foster this week.

Messrs. G. D. Harris and J. F. Little were recent business visitors at Vinna, Ill.

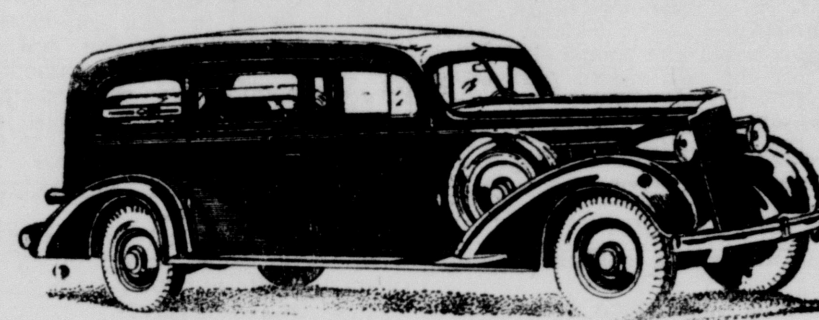
Mrs. Lita Foster returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks in Metropolis and other points in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Foster of St. Louis spent the week-end with Mrs. Lita Foster and Mrs. Elsie Norman.

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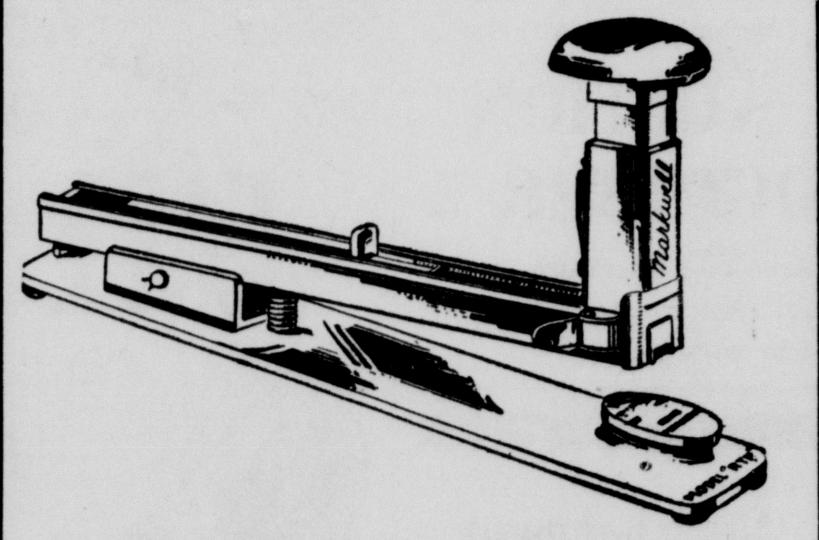


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Mary Lou Ford of Sikeston was Morley visitor over the week-end. September 29 is the date for the Homecoming and basket dinner at the Baptist church.

A number of old-age pension applicants from Morley were in Benton Tuesday on business.

FARMERS' WEEK TO BE HELD FROM OCTOBER 8-19

A wide diversification of topics of timely interest to every farmer and farm women of Southeast Missouri is offered in the thirtieth annual Farmers' Week program to be held at the Missouri college of agriculture, October 8-10. Eleven departments of the college offer more than one hundred lectures, discussions, and demonstrations, a complete printed program of which may be secured from New Madrid county agent, Leslie B. Brown.

At the same time, Robert Fehner, national CCC director, said more than 100,000 young men and veterans would be enrolled for forest camps next month to replace those who will leave stations before October 1 and to increase the corps to more than the 519,000 reached August 31.

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NEGRO IS JAILED FOR ROBBERY BLODGETT HOME

A negro known as Shine is in the Benton jail facing a trial on a burglary and larceny charge following his arrest at Blodgett last week on the complaint of a resident who lost thirteen dresses, as well as numerous other articles. At the time of his arrest he had two suitcases filled with plunder he had supposedly stolen.

Shine robbed houses in the daytime, it is charged, entering after occupants had left and taking articles having resale value. His activities included burglaries at Henson and Buffalo Island besides Blodgett, where he was arrested when the owner of a residence previously robbed recognized him.

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Personal And Society Items From Matthews

(Items from last week)

Marriage

Friends have been apprised of the marriage sometime recently, of Miss Deene Whitten of this city, to Ellis Reed of Oak Ridge.

Mrs. Reed is the charming and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten, prominent farmers of this community. She is a graduate of the Sikeston High School and has since been employed by the Robert Store Co. of this place. She is a talented young lady, active in church and social work and very popular with the younger set.

The groom, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed of Oak Ridge has taught school in this community a number of years where he has made a host of friends by his attractive personality. He has attended the Cape Girardeau teachers college and University of Ark. A young man of steady habits and sterling qualities he enjoys the respect and esteem of all who know him.

They have not disclosed their future plans but will in all probabilities continue to make this city their home.

Mrs. Jack Hartzele and children, Charley and Jean spent the week end in Sikeston with their daughter and sister Mrs. Roy Gray and family.

Mrs. Davis Morgan spent Friday in Sikeston with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt.

W. A. Dunlap returned here Friday after having spent the past week with relatives in Sardis, Miss.

Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates went to Canalon, Sunday, where Rev. Yates filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson left Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Golconda, Ill.

Miss Helen Deane, Rev. Herschel Yates and Nelson Lumsden who are attending college in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mrs. L. Carter, spent Monday near Canalon with Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Nannie Wright.

Mrs. Addie Comstock, of Little Rock, Ark. is visiting her brother Mr. Louis Jones and family this week.

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The Gourmand
with a huge appetite?

The Canny Scot
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Mr. and Mrs. Spence Vaughn and children visited friends in New Madrid Sunday.

U. R. Binford and son Maurice, were business visitors in Cape Girardeau Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hicks, of Sikeston, visited the latter's mother Mrs. Menda Atchley, Sunday.

A large number from Matthews attended the Circus in Sikeston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh May visited with relatives in Morley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will York and little daughter of Miner Switch and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Binford and children of Morehouse spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Binford.

Rev. D. M. Margraves of An-niston visited friends in Matthews, Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Rice and little son Joe Perry Jr., of St. Louis visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Cora Gossett, here a few days last week.

Mrs. Francis Cole spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beeson of Kewanee.

Mrs. A. F. Deane was removed to her home here Wednesday after having spent the past two weeks in St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Deane underwent an appendicitis operation and is now doing nicely.

The teachers of this place attended the teachers meeting in New Madrid, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and children of Tiptonville, Tenn., spent Sunday here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King, Mrs. W. V. Moore, who is here visiting her parents from Casper, Wyoming, accompanied her brother and family home for a short visit.

Supt. John W. Huckstep accompanied the High School students including Junior High to Cape Girardeau, Sunday to attend the concert at Houck Field Stadium. The concert was given by the championship American Legion Band of St. Louis, and was much enjoyed by everyone.

Mrs. Olen Critchlow and baby and Mrs. Alfred Byrd shopped in Cape Girardeau, Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Bynum and baby visited friends in Laforge, Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Cole and daughter, Mrs. Don Kochel of Canalon visited her brother W. N. Roberts and family, Tuesday.

WOMANS CLUB TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE OCT. 5

The Womens Club will have a rummage sale on Saturday, October 5. Your patronage is solicited.

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Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

(Items from last week.)

Mr. Harry McFarling of Memphis, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling, here last Friday.

Paul James who has been in Michigan the past few months returned home Saturday.

Mrs. L. E. Estes and daughter, Mrs. Cloe Ray of Essex, were visitors here Tuesday.

Miss Deloma Station and R. C. Garner of Cape Girardeau, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Come, Sundays.

George Smart of New Madrid was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

Weaver Bryant and Leonard Height transacted business in Hayti, Monday.

Rev. J. W. Heuitt preached at Jackson Grove in the Baptist Mission, Sunday.

Mrs. Iva Mocabee shopped in Essex, Monday.

Rev. A. C. Sullivan officiated at an Ordination service in Canalon Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. Tom Arnold of Essex, Morton Barnett of Idalia, Mrs. Florida Patterson, and Mrs. Anna Barnett and son, Joe of here visited Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. J. H. Peary at Ellery, Ill. and Mrs. Frank Reel at Mount Carmel, Ill., Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin of Vanduser, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. Harrison Fox, of here, attended services at McKendree Chapel, the first protestant church west of the Mississippi River, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark and children of Hammond, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Mosier of Rileyville, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James last week.

Jess Johnson of Cape Girardeau, and Alta Alberts of Illmo, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate.

A surprise birthday dinner was given in honor of Mrs. J. P. Townsend, Sunday, who lives south of town. There were 65 persons present. All enjoyed a nice time.

Dick Sarff of Little Rock, Ark., was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

Our first bale of cotton was ginned here Saturday. The cotton was brought in by Tom Jennings.

The meeting that was in progress at the Baptist church by Rev. A. C. Sullivan, closed Sunday night.

The Cotton Gin has been repaired and repainted.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyl and

children of Blodgett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Barnett, Sunday.

Melvin Sullivan, Harry Cook, Claude Delday, Roy Reeves, and Boyd Crowd, attended the ball game at St. Louis, Sunday.

Misses Alma Premerman, Elizabeth Hoehn, Ludine Davis, and Margaret Sallup, shopped in Poplar Bluff, Saturday.

Leonard Davis has repainted his home.

Edd Skates of St. Louis, was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate last week.

Mr. O. D. Edwards, and son, Lacy, are transacting business in Fornfelt, this week.

Mrs. George Schaffer, who has been ill the past few weeks, is reported to be much improved.

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

(Items from last week)

Mrs. W. P. Townsend was pleasantly surprised Sunday when a large crowd of friends and relatives gathered at her home at the noon hour with well filled baskets of dinner to help her celebrate her birth anniversary. A most enjoyable time was spent by all that were present.

J. F. Seltou of Canlon and G. L. Bohannon of Pharris Ridge were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lamal and children spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Kewanee.

A large number of folks from here viewed the street parade in Sikeston Saturday morning.

Zelma Kem, Raymond and James Johnson, and Marion Shipman of Morehouse spent Sunday afternoon with Mildred and Margaret Crosno.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tetley and family of Pharris Ridge.

Edwyna Johnson spent the week end with Opal Bartin of Pharris Ridge.

Rev. Tyler of Boekerton, conducted church services at Landers Ridge school house Sunday morning and evening.

Weekly prayer meetings are held every Thursday evening at Landers Ridge school house. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mildred Lomel spent Sunday afternoon with Inell Moore.

Quite a number of school children from here attended the band concert at Cape Girardeau Sunday evening.

Ed Simeors of Boekerton spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Russell Crosno and family.

STATE SCHOOL MONEY APPORTIONED IN COUNTY

The annual school apportionment has been made and the first payment was divided as follows. The second payment is due March 15. The payment herein outlined represents 25.5185139 per cent of total due from the state under the law, and the amount is about \$11,000 greater than was given the county at this time last year.

Graysboro	\$156.83
Illmo	\$2,826.73
Fornfelt	\$3,216.07
Rockview	\$335.36
Chaffee	\$5,525.12
Kelso	\$1,086.10
Head	\$156.13
Commerce	\$1,524.25
Macedonia	\$173.66
Wylie	\$146.06
Bleda	\$322.42
New Hamburg	\$639.78
Big Island	\$138.66
Benton	\$2,396.73
Oran	\$2,787.60
Bryans	\$308.66
Perkins	\$1,106.61
Campbell	\$161.07
Owensby	\$209.70
Hickory Grove	\$148.73
Morley	\$3,011.77
Hunter (near Oran)	\$154.96
Hooe	\$503.61

Lusk	\$445.94
Lemons	\$137.53
Blodgett	\$9,721.66
Vanduser	\$2,390.26
Crowder	\$489.56
Sand Prairie	\$327.14
McMullin	\$97.36
Diehlstadt	\$3,392.92
Lennox	\$147.51
Tanner	\$148.73
Hunter (near Sikeston)	\$296.46
Chaney	\$332.23
Dunaver	\$209.32
Miner Switch	\$228.67
Stringer	\$139.93
Baker	\$354.11
Greer	\$134.97
Sikeston	\$7,807.97
Ansell	\$292.27
Total	\$48,130.68

NEGRO BOUND TO COURT ON CHARGE OF MURDER

James Souers, a negro accused of shooting Andy Whittington, a second negro, to death at Whittington's home in Wyatt July 28, was bound over to the October term of the Mississippi county circuit court last week after a preliminary hearing in Charleston.

In a justice court, Souers contended he killed Whittington in self-defense after Whittington had threatened him with a chair. The state charged that Souers walked three miles to borrow the shotgun used in the murder over a \$1.25 gambling debt.

BECK HEARING POSTPONED

A hearing for Homer Beck, charged with shooting the Rev. A. L. Shomaker August 29 has

been postponed until October 3 because Beck's attorney, Roger A. Bailey was ill at the time of the scheduled preliminary Thursday.

Beck allegedly shot Shomaker because he objected to the clergyman's attentions to his daughter. He has been free on a \$1000 bond.

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FORN FELT, TUESDAY, OCT. 1.
ILLMO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2.
BLODGETT, FRIDAY, OCT. 4.
COMMERCE, MONDAY, OCT. 7.
PERKINS, TUESDAY, OCT. 8.
KELSO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9.
CROWDER, THURSDAY, OCT. 10.
VANDUSER, FRIDAY, OCT. 11.
MORLEY, MONDAY, OCT. 14.
CHAFFEE, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY OCT. 15-16.
DIEHLSTADT, THURSDAY, OCT. 17.
ORAN, FRIDAY, OCT. 18.
SIKESTON, MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 22, 23.
ANCELL, THURSDAY, OCT. 24.

In writing for TAX STATEMENTS to pay by mail please do so before DECEMBER 10, as we are very busy in the office after that date, taking care of CASH BUSINESS.

C. E. FELKER,
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Added short "King of Dogs"

Wednesday and Thursday, September 25-26—

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Also with Charles Butterworth and Harvey Stephens.
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Novelty reel—Wishing Stone.
Comedy "Misses Stooze"

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BELL CITY POSTMASTER'S SON ACCUSED OF STEALING CHECK FROM MAIL POUCH

Charged with burglary and larceny and with destroying the United States mail, Melvin Henson, 23-year-old son of A. J. Henson, postmaster at Bell City, was placed in the Bloomfield jail Friday night.

According to Constable W. R. Palfreeman of Bell City who investigated the case, Henson has been identified by a Cape Girardeau business man as the person who cashed a stolen check for \$22.57 on August 22.

The check was taken from a mail pouch removed from the Bell City railroad station on August 15, was made payable to Auditor Sherer of near Commerce and had been made out by William Lindell of Cairo on the Cairo National Securities Bank.

Later, Palfreeman said, the mail pouch and several packages of merchandise it contained were found partly burned at a place two and a half miles from Bell City. Enough of the contents remained unburned so that identification could be made.

The Bell City railroad station has been robbed three times since January.

THE WEATHER

The following high and low temperatures were recorded at the Frisco station by John LaFont:

	High	Low
Thursday	89	61
Friday	93	59
Saturday	93	61
Sunday	92	62
Monday		64

Only .49 of an inch of rain has fallen this month, Mr. LaFont said. During a satisfactory September, between four and five inches are recorded.

East Prairie Club to Hold Fair

Members of the East Prairie Lions club will sponsor an autumn fair during the last week in October, it has been announced. Renting equipment, the club will stage four days of entertainment and allow business houses to display merchandise in booths. Proceeds will be used for lighting the city park and for the benefit of the Boy Scout troop.

FRED WHITE

Fred White, 47-year-old negro, died Sunday on the Jim Barber farm near here. Funeral services were held at the negro Baptist church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Rev. Wolf officiating. Burial was in the Sunset cemetery. White, who was born in

Natchez, Miss., had lived until recently at Neelyville. Welsh service.

Child Cut With Butcher Knife

The infant daughter of Robert Jones suffered a laceration on her face Sunday afternoon when she fell on a butcher knife while she was playing at her home on Fletcher street. The wound was treated by Dr. H. M. Kendig.

COLLAR BONE FRACTURED FROM BLACKJACK BLOW

Grover Wilson of south of La-Forge was treated for a fractured collar bone Sunday by Dr. T. C. McClure. Wilson said he sustained the fracture when he was struck with a blackjack but did not give a detailed account of the incident.

MRS. ROBERTS ELECTED AUXILIARY PRESIDENT

At the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. Ben Welter, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected and will be installed at the next meeting:

President, Mrs. T. A. Roberts; first vice-president, Mrs. Ben Welter; second vice-president, Mrs. Art Burroughs; third vice-president, Mrs. Loomis Mayfield; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Lyle Malone; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Uri Rabb; historian, Mrs. C. C. Cummings; chaplain, Mrs. G. H. Presnell.

After the close of the business meeting the Auxiliary joined the Legion at the Armory where the new officers of the Legion were installed. At the close of the installation exercises a social hour was enjoyed and a very enjoyable lunch was served by the Legion to their guests.

For Mrs. Hughes

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Walter Hughes at her home Sunday, and dinner was served to twenty-nine guests. Those who were present to enjoy the affair were Walter Hughes and sons, Stoy Lee and Walter; Henry Hughes; Mr. and Mrs. Homer York and nieces, Beatrice and Mary Alice Stanley; Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray and children, Charles Howard and Betty; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pratt and daughters, Ethel Marie and Gladys Charline; Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Taylor and children, Harold and Alfreda Lynn, all of Sikeston; Mrs. Harry Ledbetter of Parma, Jim Carmody, Mrs. Winona and Marie Holder, Mrs. Ruth Tippy, Mrs. Helen Wineam of Miner and Mrs. Rhody York and son, Drewe, of Kewanee.

MANY ATTENDING LEGION CONVENTION IN ST. LOUIS

Among Sikeston residents who are attending sessions of the American Legion's national convention in St. Louis this week are these: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Montgomery and their son, Bobby Montgomery; T. A. Slack; J. N. Hitchcock; E. G. Buchanan; Mrs. Dick Hopper; Bill Sikes; Mr. and Mrs. Loomis Mayfield and their children, Loomis, Jr. and Marilyn Mayfield; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson; Dr. and Mrs. Chester W. Limbaugh; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts; Mr. and Mrs. Tanner C. Dye; Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Welter; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dye; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins and their daughters, Mary Jane and Betty Wayne Cummins; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilcox; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Oscar Carroll; Mr. and Mrs. Arba Senenbaugh; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard.

Curtis Black, convicted bank robber, chose an ingenious mode of escape from the Oklahoma State Prison at McAlester—but failed in his attempt. Fellow convicts, engaged with him on a masonry job, cemented him in a wall, leaving a few air holes for breathing purposes. When a check disclosed that he was missing, guards tapped the wall until they detected a hollow sound. There they dug out Black, who had a hammer with which he planned to make his escape. He had been in the wall 18 hours.

Mrs. Helen Bonewicz, separated from her husband, informed Joe Studney of Cleveland that she no longer appreciated his attentions. So, when he met her on the street he hurled a vial of acid in her face, probably disfiguring her for life. Said he: "I wanted to fix her so no one else would want her. Then I could marry her no matter what she looked like."

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Twelve Sellers Kitchen Cabinets with breakfast sets and utility cabinets to match—choice patterns just in—cost but little more than the common variety.

Moore's Air Tight Heaters—very large car filled with them unloaded lately—this immense purchase saves buyers \$6.00 to \$10.00 on each model—unconditional guarantee for TEN YEARS on Fire Pots. Best soft coal heater ever sold in this territory—trade in your old one—take time on balance.

Great Majestic Ranges—the range with a reputation—see the beautiful 1935 models—no better range was ever designed.

Snappy new patterns in Firths International Hooked Rug Reproductions at \$55.00 are taking the day with careful buyers of style rugs. Many other good values are available at lower cost.

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SERVICEABLE ITEMS—PRICED LOW

Fifteen or twenty excellent ranges—all thoroughly remodeled—new parts put in where needed—\$15.00 and up—most of them are good for years of service.

About the same number of reconditioned coal heaters—new fire pots and linings where needed—better take your choice early—make small down payment to bind trade—good used heaters always move out quickly when frost begins to fly.

Beautiful Kimball Piano—expensive model when new—A-1 condition both as to appearance and performance—at a give-away price.

Number of Florence oil ranges with built-in ovens—some of them repossessed—take 'em along at low prices and pay by week or month.

New lot of late patterns in sofa pillows—75c and \$1.25. Tied and dyed table covers and scarfs to match—lower than ever.

Florence and Perfection portable oil heaters—fine for bath purposes or other rooms where small amount of heat may be needed quickly. The new ones are very pretty.



New Fashions in Figures by VASSARETTE

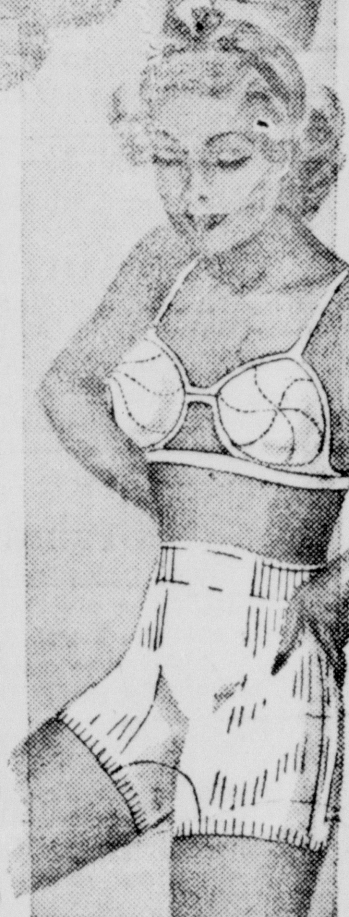
Wonderfully smooth, sleek figures moulded the Vassarette way... firmly yet so comfortably. And we have a Vassarette for every figure... slim, plump, in-between. Put yourself in our competent hands and we'll fit you in the Vassarette that's utterly right for you.

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"Your Rhythm Step styling is the smartest I've ever seen," said the famous dancing daughter of Fred Stone. "I'd never dream such light, dainty shoes could be comfort shoes."

Realizing the importance of safeguarding their feet against shock and their entire bodies from fatigue, it isn't surprising that Hollywood stars were enthusiastic about Rhythm Steps. Three-point protection for the foot, with such style is good news indeed! But, most surprising of all, perhaps, is the modest price at which these unique new shoes are available now!

Rhythm STEP STYLE AND HEALTH SHOES



Pictures Show How Invisible Rhythm Treads Support Foot at Three Strain Points



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Fanaticism Consists In Redoubling Your Effort When You Have Forgotten Your Aim—GEORGE SANTAYANA

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

It will be a happy day when the curb stone brigade is put to work in order to stop their griping, to give their families a break for better living and get them off the main streets. In order for them to secure work on the projects expected at any day, they will have to register on the unemployed roll. There has been too much red tape about the relief roll, the WPA roll, the FERA roll, the old age pension roll, that few of those who want and need work know just what to do. Quite a number have been after The Standard editor to get them put on the roll and not a single one of them but what wanted to be a foreman or time keeper whether they were competent or not. And again we wish to emphasize the fact that we are not asking a position for anyone, but hope every man who wants to work will be given the right to earn his bacon and beans for himself and family. Those who do not understand what, or how to sign up on these cards, should get busy at once and have their card placed where it will get them work in the shortest space of time. And again, those who are assigned on this project work are supposed to give honest work for the honest dollars, or they may be taken from the work rolls and receive nothing.

The Ethiopians, the oldest Christian nation on earth, are in sight of the most terrific war in their history and other Christian nations should join them in their prayers for peace without fighting or victory. The Ethiopian Christians hold the day in prayer while their Mohammedan warriors turn their faces toward Mecca in their devotions. The thing that disturbed the British soldiers during the Boer war in South Africa as much as did the Boer bullets, were the hymns they could hear being sung by God inspired Boer warriors as they waited to them by the winds. These Ethiopians, poorly equipped in every way, are strong in the faith and with the help of God feel they will be victorious should the struggle be forced on them.

The Harmony Four, jubilee singers of St. Louis will appear at the C. M. E. church in Sikeston, Sunday, September 29 to which the public is invited to attend. They will be here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 8:00 o'clock. The admission price will be 10 cents. White friends are invited. These singers come well recommended.

The Fat Leane baseball clubs of the colored Methodist church will have a match game at the baseball park Friday afternoon, September 27. These clubs are composed of the women of the church and the price of 10 cents admission will be applied on their church debt. A good crowd is hoped for.

Anyway the big Nordbeck engine is placed on a foundation sunk below the floor level and is functioning 100 per cent. The signed contract called for an engine 15 feet and 10 inches in the clear while the working drawings or blue prints gave it as 18 feet and 6 inches. So that is clear.

In a Southeast Missouri cemetery is a family lot 24x24 feet. In one corner is a small slab stone bearing the inscription, "Henry, my first husband," only the name is different. In another corner is a slab stone read "John, my second husband," another, "James, my third husband." In the fourth corner was, "Michael, my fourth husband." In the center was an imposing stone on which was cut, "Helen, our wife."

"Back in circulation" is the way the Kansas City Post-Journal refers to Elaine Barrie, the 19-year-old hunk of cheese that John Barrymore had with him on an ocean cruise. And we suppose that is right, too. These actress girls seem to circulate quite a bit among men.

Six drunken girls of Charleston stripped the britches off of a negro youth in that city and thought they were having a good time. If the negro boy had torn the britches from one of these girls he would have been hanged to a lamp post.

The United States is now the owner and depositor of the greatest hoard of gold the world has known. Scores of millions of dollars in gold are reaching our shores monthly. They embrace the funds of foreigners who have little faith in their own governments and implicit confidence in ours. They have more faith in us than some of us seem to have in ourselves.

The Standard received a poem from a contributor with the title: "Sweetie", and we are afraid to print it as some women are so suspicious.

Young Democrats to Meet

Members of the Young Democrats' club of Richland township will meet in the city hall at 7:30 Monday evening, September 30, in the council room on the first floor of the hall.

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Little River Asks Condemnation of Scott County Road

The Little river drainage district filed a condemnation petition in the Butler county circuit court Thursday against landowners along the Ramsey creek channel in Scott county.

The defendants—John W. Brister, Arthur Popp, W. O. Bowman, Popp's trustee, J. C. Southard, and Sherman Gross—refuse to agree on right of way costs along the creek, where levee and channel work is being done, the plaintiff alleges. They are to appear in court October 3 to show cause why commissioners should not be appointed.

The Ramsey channel and levee were built in 1915 and 1916, eight years after the Little river drainage district was organized. The plaintiff contends.

"That the Ramsey Creek Channel diverts the rainfall from a large area of the hill section of Scott county northward and eastward through Ramsey Creek Channel to its junction with the headwater diversion channel and thence into the Mississippi river

at a point about four miles south of Cape Girardeau.

"That said Ramsey Creek Diversion Levee in conjunction with the headwater diversion levee constitutes and affords protection from the overflow from the floodwater of the Mississippi river to all the lands in the district and in addition to a large area of the lowlands of Southeast Missouri and Northeast Arkansas.

"That the velocity of the water developed in the channel of said Ramsey Creek has eroded and reduced the beam or bank between said channel and the levee to such extent that in places the existing levee has slipped and caved into said channel, and all of it, from the intersection of U. S. Highway No. 61, and a point at or near the county line road between Cape Girardeau and Scott counties has eroded to such an extent as to imperil the safety and stability of said levee against the floodwaters of the Mississippi river and thereby subject all of the lands in the district and other lands to the hazard of destructive and damaging overflow from said river."

Mott Bound To Court On Charge of Forgery

Judge Joseph W. Myers bound over to the Scott county court last week-end Alfred Mott of Tanner, who is charged with forging a \$5 check on A. J. Baugher. Judge Myers announced his decision Saturday after taking the case under advisement following a hearing Thursday.

The check was made out on a First Security State Bank of Charleston blank and cashed last month at the J. S. Wallace store, Mott using the name of Robert Roberts. The defendant was arrested by Constable W. O. Ellis September 12 but has been free on bond of \$150 signed by himself, Baugher, and Nick Oatner. Several witnesses testified at his trial Thursday morning.

Bonds of \$50 each supplied for

the release of Roy Laster and Steve Humphreys, Jr., after they had been charged with writing unsatisfactory checks, were ordered forfeited yesterday when the defendants failed to appear for hearings in Judge Myers' court. Laster is accused of writing a worthless check for \$5.50 to J. M. Law on the Bank of Sikeston, in which he had no funds. The case has been continued since last month.

Humphreys, who was arrested on the complaint of the Boyer Auto Service, had insufficient funds to cover a \$4.40 check made out on June 15 to Hubert Boyer, it is charged. When he refused to make the check good, he was arrested in August but released on a bond signed by himself.

3 Women, 1 Man Jailed For Disturbing Peace

Three young women and a man were returned to jail Saturday morning after they had pled guilty in police court to disturbing the peace at a Fletcher avenue home last Friday night.

The defendants were "jailed" when they were unable to pay these fines imposed by Judge W. H. Carter. Elsie Hunter, 19 years old, \$10 and costs; Ruby McGee, 15, \$10 and costs; Margaret Jordan, 16, \$25 and costs; Maple Browning, \$3 and costs.

Judge Carter dismissed a peace disturbance charge against R. B. Oliver, 18, when the three women defendants supported him in his plea of not guilty. Oliver was fined \$1 and costs September 10 when he, Alfred Carter, and Grover Jenkins each pled guilty to assault and battery charges filed in Judge Joseph W. Myers' court. The men had been arrested a week before after a fight in Frisco, during which Oliver was stabbed in his left shoulder and on the face.

Complaints against the five defendants were made by W. M.

Stroud, who lives with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Bristein, in another room of the same house occupied by the three young women, who are granddaughters of Mrs. Bristein. Stroud charged in court that for more than a month the women and their friends disturbed him at night so that he could not sleep. He had admonished them to be less noisy, he said, and on Friday night, when he went to their room to request quiet, they cursed him and kicked on the walls. When at last he started out to find an officer at about 4 o'clock Saturday morning, Browning and Oliver followed him, he said, Browning with a knife.

Margaret Jordan's fine was made higher than those of the others because she occupied the room continuously. Ruby McGee and Elsie Hunter, who has served jail sentences before, had come from their homes west of Morehouse to visit her.

The five were arrested and placed in jail by Night Marshal

Relief Clients Urged to Register for WPA Work

Numerous persons who desire employment here by the works progress administration have failed to qualify properly it was learned yesterday.

For this reason, a relief official has emphasized two steps which must be taken by all men and women expecting to be assigned to WPA jobs; First they must be certified by Mrs. Iva Mitchell, who is the Sikeston districts FE-

RA social service worker; second, they must be registered with E. R. Ryan at the national re-employment office in Benton.

Some people here were certified recently, but did not become registered and identified at Benton, the official said. Others who were taken from relief rolls last spring but require help now have failed to see Mrs. Mitchell for applications to reopen their cases. These persons are urged to interview Mrs. Mitchell at once.

Sikeston Women Named Delegates to Missouri Democratic Convention

Six delegates and six alternates to a state convention of Democratic women's clubs in Jefferson City on October 8 and 9 were elected Saturday at a meeting of the Scott county women's Democratic organization held in Benton.

Delegates are Mrs. John G. Powell and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., of Sikeston; Mrs. O. L. Spencer of Benton; Mrs. V. Ragsdale and Mrs. E. J. Purcell of Illinois; and Mrs. T. P. Johnson of Chaffee.

These alternates were chosen: Mrs. J. R. Nolan of Sikeston; Mrs. L. E. Johnston and Mrs. D. R. Mouser of Chaffee; Mrs. Lora McClain of Oran; Mrs. W. C. Watkins, Jr., of Benton; and Mrs. J. E. Hailey of Illinois.

Mrs. Blanton presided at Saturday's meeting, at which Mrs. Spencer reported on a district convention in Poplar Bluff.

Mrs. Nolan, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Blanton, Mrs. Kate Harris, and Mrs. John Young attended the meeting.

Campaign Started For C. E. Convention Funds

Young people of Sikeston churches will devote this week to a drive to secure registrations for the state Christian Endeavor convention to be held here in November.

Calling on members of their own denominations they will request payment of \$1 registration fees, which will entitle each holder to attend every session of the meeting. Funds obtained will be used to pay convention expenses.

Since for the first time in the history of the organization a state conference will be held in a town the size of Sikeston, young people planning the drive here are particularly anxious that it be a success. Between 350 and 500 delegates are expected to come here for sessions, which will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church.

Prominent young people's leaders of all denominations will speak during the convention, including Harry Harlan, secretary of a Kansas City Y. M. C. A. group for many years and a man well-known by church leaders for his outstanding work with men. Mr. Harlan will be here for the entire four days of the convention.

The Rev. Robert Meyers, pastor of the Hickman Mills, Mo., Christian church, will be here three days to address convention delegates.

BULLDOGS FALL BEFORE JONESBORO TEAM'S DRIVE

The Sikeston Bulldogs were defeated 0 to 19 Friday night in their opening game of the season with the Jonesboro, Ark., eleven on the Hurricanes' home field.

Bulldogs did not reach within forty yards of scoring over the Jonesboro men, who outweighed their opponents an average of twenty pounds. The Hurricanes scored in the second, third, and fourth quarters. Charles Rushing and Clay Mitchell, backs, and Charles Beal, end, were outstanding Sikeston players.

Last year Jonesboro defeated Sikeston 18 to 7 here. At Cape Girardeau Friday night, the Central High Tigers beat Perryville 26 to 0. The Bulldogs will meet Central in the Cape on October 4, the date of their next game, and Perryville away from home on November 8.

East Prairie downed a Paplar Bull eleven 6 to 0 and Jackson defeated Chaffee 24 to 0. Sikeston will play Chaffee here October 25.

ANDERSON TO ENROLL AT LOUISIANA UNIVERSITY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson will leave this week for Louisiana where Mr. Anderson will enroll in the state university at Baton Rouge to complete work for his degree of bachelor of science in agriculture. Mrs. Anderson will stay in St. Martinville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Dessons.

Mr. Anderson will specialize in the study of cotton, and may, before he leaves, secure a master of arts degree. While he is at the university, he will also supervise students at their agricultural farm.

Mr. Anderson completed almost enough work for a degree at the University of Wisconsin. Until recently he was connected with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company office here.

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Gid Daniels. The four sentenced will work out their fines. Judge Carter released the three women defendants Monday morning on provision that they return to their homes near Gray Ridge and remain from Sikeston for at least two years. Browning paid the fine assessed against him.

MISSOURI'S PRODUCTION OF COTTON IS SMALLER

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 17.—The Missouri cotton production is estimated at 221,000 bales based upon the September 1 condition of 72 per cent. This compares with the 1934 production of 242,000 bales and the condition of the crop at this time last year was 61 per cent compared with the 10-year average September condition of 67 per cent.

The cotton crop in Missouri this year had a very slow start and much of the acreage had to be replanted due to unfavorable weather conditions. During the months of July and August the crop made a very rapid improvement and the present condition is above the average condition, according to T. F. McDonough, Associate Statistician, Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

Plants have fruited well with very little shedding but great damage is being done by the leaf worm and already the second brood has appeared. Damage during the month of August was confined to the foliage and in many fields the leaves were laced by the leaf worm. In a recent survey made by Mr. McDonough forty fields at intervals of five miles were visited all the important cotton counties and leaf worms were found in all but three fields, varying from a slight trace to a very heavy infestation.

Condition of the cotton crop by counties on September 1 ranges from 57 per cent of normal to 77 per cent of normal with the lowest conditions being in Howell and Ozark counties and the highest conditions being in Dunklin and Scott counties. The condition of the cotton crop is as follows: Howell, 57 per cent; Oregon, 75 per cent; Ozark, 61 per cent; Ripley, 66 per cent; Taney, 69 per cent; Butler, 65 per cent; Dunklin, 77 per cent; Mississippi, 66 per cent; New Madrid, 70 per cent; Pemiscot, 71 per cent; Scott, 77 per cent; Stoddard, 71 per cent.

The indicated yield per acre this year is 330 pounds as compared with 366 pounds in 1934 and 268 pounds, the 10-year average yield, 1924 to 1933.

Acreage abandonment this year amounted to 1.5 per cent which is about average.

The United States production based on the September condition of 64.5 per cent indicates a production of 11,489,000 bales as compared with 9,636,000 bales picked in 1934. One million bales of this increase are accounted for by the state of Texas and their September 1 condition indicates a production of 3,467,000 bales against 2,406,000 bales picked in 1934. Second most important cotton state, Mississippi, which has an indicated production for 1935 of 1,239,000 bales as compared with 1,143,000 bales picked in 1934.

Miss Polly McDonough of Morley, well-known in this community, was a Sikeston visitor Friday afternoon. During the season she has been cashier on the Steamer "President" and left that evening for Cairo to join her boat, which was bound for New Orleans.

Mrs. M. E. Prouty went to Shady Grove, Ky., yesterday morning where she will visit for a month with her brother, Jr. C. Hopkins, and family, sister, Mrs. Willie Robinson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Langley of Piggoit, Ark., visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Langley, L. B. Patterson and children spent Sunday in Portageville with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Mark Fuller, and family. They also went down to make the acquaintance of Joanne Marie who arrived last Tuesday. Mrs. Patterson, who had been with her daughter since Tuesday, returned home with her family.

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May Secure Dirt Free

Residents wanting dirt taken from the city water reservoir site by WPA workmen may secure it by calling for it, Dr. G. W. Presnell said Monday. Early this week employees on the project will be engaged in removing top soil, which will be saved for use around the finished storage tank. Dr. Presnell suggested that residents begin calling for dirt on Thursday or Friday.

FARM CHILD DIES OF TYPHOID FEVER

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Thurman Wright, 5 year old, who died of typhoid fever Sunday morning at his home a mile south of here.

The Rev. Verne F. Oglesby, pastor of the First Baptist church, preached at the services, which were held at the residence at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery here.

Thurman was born in New Madrid. During the last two years he lived on the Wainman farm near Sikeston. Besides his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright, he is survived by three brothers, Lawrence, Lester, and George Wright. Albritton service.

Three Fined on Minor Charges

Leon Smith and A. D. Red, negroes, and Carl S. Engram were each fined \$3 and costs when they entered pleas of guilty in police court Monday to minor charges. Smith and Engram were charged with being drunk and disorderly; Red with failing to pay a tax for his dog.

Well-Known Architect Has Opened Office Here

Miss Alice Walton, a Kansas City architect, has this week opened an office in the Young building on Center Street.

Leaving her former home, Miss Walton came to Southeast Missouri primarily to superintend near Marion. Seeing the land, she has become enthusiastic about it and now intends to build a small home on her tract and to discover how far she can progress with little capital. She will drive here to her office each day to interview clients.

While she was in Kansas City, Miss Walton drew plans for large business district developments, for a golf clubhouse, and for residences; but since she was particularly successful in designing homes for clients, she specialized in that phase of architecture.

Her work with small residences was especially notable, gaining her widespread recognition not only in Kansas City but through-

out the country. Knowing that more time, thought, and taste are required to produce small houses than ones where the cost factor is relatively unlimited, Miss Walton bent her talents to studying all details of small home planning, utilizing well all space.

Because of her pains, Miss Walton's ability for designing lower cost residences was quickly recognized and her many original ideas incorporated in numerous homes built in Kansas City. Further, she also gained praise for her work in redesigning old illy-constructed houses into ones new, well-planned, and modern.

Miss Walton is a member of the American Institute of Architects, and although where she was well-known in Kansas City because of her activity, business decreased rapidly when the depression froze the construction industry. Her presence here will fill one of Sikeston's fast-growing needs.

Three Men Accused of Leaving Accident Scenes

Three men were placed in the Charleston jail Sunday night to await hearings on charges of leaving the scene of an accident after G. W. Hayes and his 9-year-old son, Arnold A. Hayes, of near Bertrand had been struck and injured by an automobile west-bound on Highway 60.

Hayes, his son and several companions were walking west on the pavement after attending church services when the accident happened. Both escaped serious injury, however, and were able to return to their farm after Hayes had been treated for a

broken arm and his son for injuries to his head.

The Plymouth which struck the two in Bertrand, also hit and knocked down a school sign and a highway marker. Before it was turned around and headed east again through Charleston, witnesses obtained its license number; and through the activities of highway patrolmen, the three occupants of the car were stopped by officers in East Prairie.

The men held are Lizzie E. Stafford, driver of the automobile; Sidney Layne, the owner; and Frank Edwards, all of Rector, Ark.

Y. W. A. TO MEET WITH MRS. LEE

The regular social meeting of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Meredith Lee, at 115 W. Gladys, tonight (Tuesday) at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is invited to attend.

Rents Room for Cafe

H. O. Farrow of Biggers, Ark., has rented a West Malone avenue store room for a restaurant which he will open soon. The room, located next to Jack Matthews' garage, was leased from the Matthews estate.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Watkins, of Montauk, Dent County, and children, visited over the weekend at the editor's home. They expect to move to Pacific, Mo., October 1, where N. C. has engineering work on the park.

A letter received here Monday by Mrs. Janie Bachor from her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Fish, stated that she and her husband, who have been visiting with relatives at Kahoka, Mo., for the past two months, expected to reach St. Louis on Monday, September 23, where they will visit friends, and planned to be home September 25.

Earl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boardman, who has been suffering from an infected gland, is now reported to be improving.

LIGHT OPERA GROUP TO PERFORM



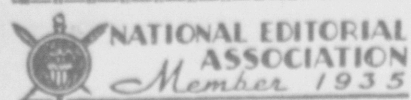
Members of the Davies Opera Company, shown above will present an entertainment at the high school auditorium Thursday morning. The performance will be the first of eight included in the school's lyceum course for this year.

George Lee and niece, Miss Hontas, who had been visiting relatives and friends in Denver, Colorado Springs, Longmont and Estes Park, Colo., for the past two weeks, returned home Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Lee who had spent the summer in Colorado. While in Colorado Springs, they visited with Mrs. Eula Shanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bowman of this city, a former Sikestonian.

Dr. Drace, eye, ear nose throat specialist in Sikeston every Thursday, Glasses fitted. tt-102

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BUILDING A BETTER STATE

"Why Social Health Insurance?"

By Frank J. Bruno, Department of Social Work, Washington University St. Louis.

The answer to why is that the cost of medical care has risen much faster than the income of the lower economic groups. Nearly half of the unskilled laborers and agriculturists do not earn enough money to maintain a decent standard of living. When sickness comes there is no savings available to pay for medical care. The more uncertain the income, the more hopeless is the outlook for adequate medical service.

It is clearly shown by many studies that the amount of illness increases with a decrease in income. That is, the poorer one is, the more likely he is to live under those conditions which produce disease—not enough food to build resistance and not sufficiently sanitary houses to give the proper protection against infections, especially tuberculosis, and when he becomes sick he postpones going for medical care longer because of his bad financial situation, and he is more likely to take second best measures such as to doctor himself or to use patent medicines.

Whatever may have been true fifty years ago before the medical profession reached its present stage of excellence, a substantial portion of the inhabitants of any modern country today cannot afford to hire a physician when they need him because medical service has increased sharply in cost. This is partly due to the long and severe educational experience through which the physician has to pass, but it is also due to the elaborate and expensive equipment of hospitals, laboratories and research units involved in treatment and the conquest of disease.

There is no way to reduce these costs. As a matter of fact, every invention such as insulin increases costs and so the prospect for the future is a greater spread between capacity to pay for medical service and its cost.

If the low income person cannot pay for his medical cost no system or private insurance will enable him to do so because private insurance would merely

spread the cost evenly over the whole group, but generally speaking over a period of years each family would have to pay what it now pays. It would even be worse than that because if private health insurance really provided adequate medical service to the low income group its members would have to pay more than they now expend because under such a plan medical advice and service with its attendant facilities would be available upon need and would not be dependent upon immediate capacity to pay.

No plan of social insurance should be so organized as to discourage or hinder the development of medical service. Modern civilizations, especially their huge cities and industrial centers, are far more dependent upon adequate medical service than a city is dependent upon a fire department to protect it against a conflagration or a police department to protect it against disorder. We literally live in our large centers because medical science has largely conquered certain types of diseases. The future hope of the race is that it will continue its progress through new discoveries and new skill.

But the ordinary person, especially the economically weaker one, is about in the same position with respect to medical service as he is with respect to goods that he wishes to purchase. On the other hand, we have the development of industry to the point where it can produce almost everything that anyone could want and has a large surplus of workers eager to be engaged to make such goods, but no way of bringing the need of the user and the capacity of the producer together. So we have a thoroughly well equipped, competent medical service which has demonstrated in its service to the higher economic groups its capacity to conquer many diseases and ready to serve the whole population, but no way, short of social insurance or state medicine, has been devised to bring these two together.

JOHN M. HOWARD OF GORIN TELLS OF TAX GAINS TO HIM

"A few days ago, I shipped 14 hogs to Chicago which weighed 2270 pounds and sold for \$11.50, bringing me \$243.21," says John M. Howard, a farmer near Gorin.

"Early in 1933, when the government was buying up all the little pigs, I shipped 12 hogs and got only \$65. Some of my Republican friends try to tell me that there is nothing to this corn and hog program and that it was a big mistake of the government buying up all the little pigs. But I feel that the Democratic administration under the leadership of President Roosevelt should be highly commended in what they have done to raise the price of the farmers' products.

"They have done more to help and assist the farmers than all the Republican administrations combined. Surely, there is a vast difference between \$243 and \$65. For my part, I would not like to call back the kind of times and prices we had under Mr. Hoover, even though my Republican friends try to tell me that is what we should have."—Henry County Democrat, Clinton.

MISSOURI FARMERS IN FOR GAY SEASON FULL OF PROCESSING YELPS

Winter customarily is only a gay season for the society debt, but there are obvious signs that Missouri farmers and those of other farm states also face a period of gayety. Soon the radio and the newspapers will be filled with oratory and argument by Republican leaders who wish to painlessly take away from them their processing taxes.

All the farmer will have to do, after the cows have been palled and the live stock bedded down, will be to draw up the old easy chair and settle in for a few hours of innocent fun listening to plans to substitute some good sovereign remedy for the processing taxes.

The farmers' gay season started rather early this year with a statement by Frank Knox, the Chicago publisher, and a talk by Rep. Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York. Knox finds a panacea for the farm in world exports and the invention of mysterious and at present unknown organic chemistry methods whereby cornstalks may be turned into flat irons and silk shirts. He is sure that if the farmers will just give up the processing tax and take the world market cure; yes, the same Simon-pure world market the Republicans have been using in campaigns for 20 years, they will be able to raise all they want and put in 24-hour curb service to meet further demand. Please honk your horn.

Fish appeared at Topeka with a presidential lightning rod instead of the customary feather sticking rakishly over the brim of the Borsolino Italian hat he affects. Fish said he wants to take the government out of business. He would do this, he said, by abolishing the processing taxes and have the government pay for farm products at a high rate. Another way to take the government out of business, he said, was by having the government set wage standards so as to retain the familiar "American standard of living."

While it may seem impossible to get the government out of business by sticking its nose in up to the eye brows and its hands up to the elbows, this might be done by the old-fashioned plan of not letting the right hand knoweth what the left hand dideth, a sort of bilateral treatment that also should be good for colds.

Field Taylor of Melbourne, Australia, is an actor, tailor and inventor. Now he has turned dentist because of lack of money and has made himself a full set of artificial teeth, although he has never received technical training in dentistry. He says the plates fit perfectly.

The Federal Court at Newark, N. J., was demoralized when a tear-gas bomb exploded in the pocket of James C. Carpenter Jr., Jersey City attorney, just as he concluded an address to the court. Judge Guy L. Fake was among those who took to cover. It was discovered that Carpenter had been to a luncheon during the noon recess and some jovial spirit had played a practical joke on him by dropping the bomb in his pocket.

Wears Mark of Master Craftsman



DAVID TENNANT, 19-year-old London, Ont., youth recently elected international president of the Guild Alumni, receives the badge of office from Raymond S. Doerr, 23, of Battle Creek, Mich., retiring head of the organization, which is composed of the 45 scholarship winners in the model coach-building competitions conducted by the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild since 1930. Induction of the new officers took place at the fifth convention of the General Motors-sponsored educational foundation, held in the City of Quebec.

PAUL C. JONES IN THE KENNETT DEMOCRAT

While it seems to me to be a bad state of affairs when a county or community has to resort to a "hell-raising" campaign to attract any attention, it furthermore seems to be a fact that it is going to take something of that sort to make the State Highway Department take notice of Dunklin county and give us some of the things that this county is entitled to.

The business men of Campbell seem to be on the right trail when they had a meeting Tuesday night to which they invited citizens from towns that are affected, to stimulate interest in a campaign which they hope will result in selling the state highway department on the advisability of paving Route 53 from Holcomb to Quiln.

I was sorry that I could not attend their meeting, to which I was invited, but I have had some good reports of what was done.

To begin with Campbell is in Union Township, which does not have one foot of paved highway in the entire township. (Of course there are some paved streets in the City of Campbell, paid for by the property owners).

Dunklin County was one of the first counties in this entire state which was "road conscious" and long before even the state had adopted a road-building program the people of this county voted \$1,200,000 in bonds to build roads

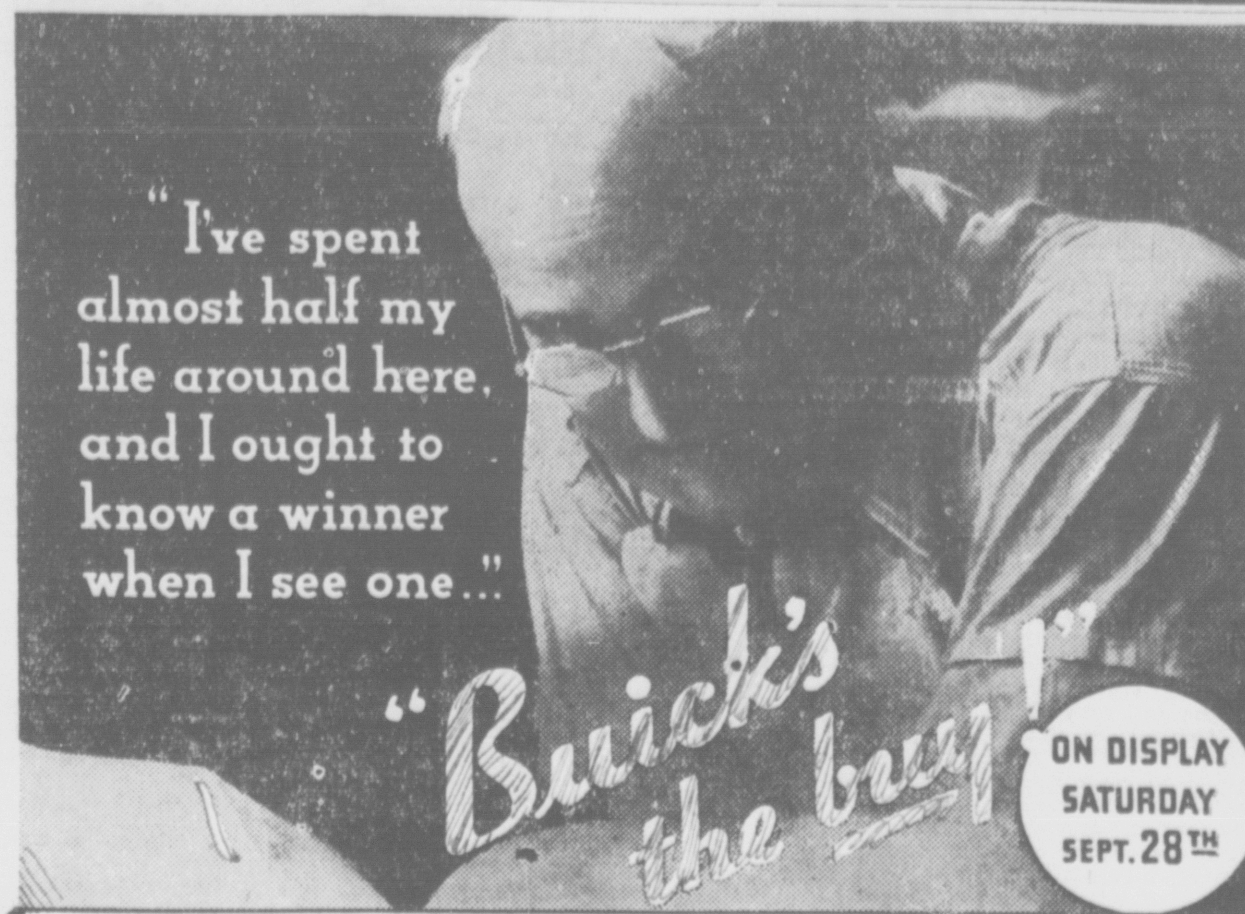
with, thereby cooperating with the federal government.

Now Missouri does not have to apologize to any state when it comes to road-building; we have good roads in this state, and our system extends to every county in the state, but I am of the opinion that our State Highway Department has sometimes been influenced by politics and personalities in the locating of its roads rather than a consideration of the community and the traffic to be served.

I remember a few years ago when we talked about trying to get Highway No. 84 paved between Kennett and Hayti, they brought up the question of traffic count; and then it was discovered that the intersections of Highways No. 25 and No. 84, was the busiest corner in the state outside of the metropolitan centers; and the count of cars on Highway No. 84 proved that the traffic did justify a higher type of pavement. But, consider how long we've been getting that short stretch of road paved.

And here we have been trying for years to get No. 25 full width paving through the county, and what happens; they come along and with offer black-top on us, while other sections of the state, not carrying near the traffic this road does, gets the widest width concrete.

Reference to any road map will show that Highway No. 53, from



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Holcomb on to Poplar Bluff is one of the natural gateways to the Ozarks County, the Nation's Playground, for people coming from Tennessee and Mississippi.

The traffic which uses this road even in the condition it is, should be sufficient to justify a higher type road; not to mention the fact that his traffic would be greatly increased if the road is improved. But the men of Campbell, Holcomb, Quiln, Poplar Bluff, Kennett and other towns are going to have to keep on the necks of the State Highway Department if we get anything done towards improving the road.

MANY COUNTIES FINISH OLD-AGE PENSION PROBE

Most of the Missouri counties of

small population and many of average population have completed, through their old age assistance boards, preliminary investigations of applicants for old-age pensions, according to Allen M. Thompson, state old-age pension assistance commissioner.

"It was not expected that the boards in counties with cities as large as Kansas City and St. Joseph and St. Louis proper, each with thousands of applicants, would be able to complete their work for several weeks yet," Mr. Thompson said. "But we are hurrying things along fast."

Under the law, the pensions are payable retroactively to the date of the application. Mr. Thompson said that he had learned that preliminary work in other states having similar pension laws required

as long as six months to complete, a period which he hoped to better by several months.

Alex Fine, Chicago grocer, is now prepared for any emergency. He has an extra pair of pants hidden. Three times within the past year his store has been held up by bandits and each time he was depanted as one way to keep him from sounding an alarm, after the telephone wires were cut.

The Rev. and Mrs. Verne F. Oglesby and their daughters, Amelia and Nancy Oglesby, left Thursday for Vandalia, Ill., where Mr. Oglesby visited his parents and appeared on the program of an annual pioneers homecoming celebration. They returned Saturday.

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LEADING BARRISTERS
TO SPEAK IN MISSOURI

Jefferson City, Mo., Sept. 21.—A prominent array of barristers, including William L. Ransom of New York, president of the American Bar Association, are listed as speakers for the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the Missouri Bar Association in Springfield, September 27-28.

The program for the two-day session was announced here this afternoon by Judge Frank E. Atwood, retiring president of the organization.

An innovation at this year's meeting will be a regional conference of the American Bar Association on the second day. Will Shofroth, Chicago, director of the national bar program of the national organization, is planning the regional meeting which is expected to attract many lawyers from Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Tennessee and Kentucky, as well as Missouri.

Ransom will be one of the principal speakers at the annual banquet of the association which will conclude the meeting on Saturday night.

Other banquet speakers listed include:

Dr. Manley O. Hudson, professor of international law at Harvard University, who is just returning from Geneva; Federal Judge Merrill E. Otis of Kansas City, and United States Senator Bennett C. Clark.

At the opening day's session Boyle G. Clark of Columbia, general chairman of the State Bar Committee; Judge R. E. Culver of St. Joseph, chairman of the State Judicial Council, and Robert B. Caldwell of St. Louis, president of the State Board of Bar Examiners will explain progress made by their respective groups.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held at the afternoon session of the first day.

Reiss Re-elected Director

John J. Reiss of Skeston was re-elected a director of the New Madrid County Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company at an annual policy-holders' meeting held in Malden recently. He and T. A. Penman of Portageville and Ellis A. Jones of Malden, also re-elected directors, will serve three-year terms. The company gained more than \$200,000 in new business during the last twelve months.

LIBRARY RUMMAGE SALE
TO BE HELD OCT. 19

A rummage sale for the local library will be held Saturday, October 19, the place to be announced later. The public invited.

COUNCIL AUTHORIZES
\$4283 EXPENDITURE FOR
RESERVOIR MATERIALS

The works progress administration was ready last week-end to start work yesterday on the city's new water storage tank after councilmen had passed an ordinance Thursday night authorizing a maximum expenditure of \$4283.93 for materials. All materials will be bought by Barney Forrester, the city purchasing agent, at the lowest price received from competitive bids. The total spent is not expected to exceed \$4000. Bill Rohen is foreman of the project.

THE FIRST STEPS
TOWARD A HANGING

Six young ladies of prominent Charleston families are reported to have had no end of fun Monday night when they are alleged to have "departed" the negro attendant at a certain business establishment here. It is not definitely established, but it is presumed that the said young ladies were "in their cups" and derived much merriment by separating the Negro youth from his pants, while he cowered in the corner.

These young ladies may not know it, but such actions as these besides leading no respect to themselves or their families, who have attempted, no doubt, to give them the proper training—have caused more than one man to be hung, probably right here in Charleston.

If the Negro youth had attempted the least shade of familiarity with any of the six girls, he would have been mobbed within a very short space of time, but yet, they, members of Charleston's leading families, stripped the Negro of his pants and had a high old time, so the story goes.

We believe that an attacker of a woman, whether the man be black or white, deserves hanging, but we don't think six supposedly decent white girls have leave to strip the pants from any man, black or white. Such actions encourage criminal attacks—and hangings. We hope it is not true.—Charleston Courier.

CHARLESTON REBECAHS
MET HERE MONDAY NITE

The Past Noble Grand Club of the Charleston Rebecca Lodge met at the home of Mrs. W. I. Sidwell on South Kingshighway Monday evening, Sept. 16. Supper was served at 6 o'clock after which a business meeting was held, and the following officers elected: president Miss Ruth Williams; vice-president, Mrs. Oma Brewer; secretary, Mrs. T. J. Clark; treasurer, Mrs. Erwin Lash; warden, Mrs. Ramsey Walton. Visitors who were present to enjoy the meeting were Miss Louise Williams, Mrs. O. F. Sitzes and Charles Hill.

MISS MARY SLATEN WED
TO RALPH ANCELL FRIDAY

Miss Mary Slaten, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Slaten of Holland, Mo., was married at 7 o'clock Friday evening to Ralph Ansell, a son of Mrs. Anna Ansell of Skeston.

The service was read in the Methodist Episcopal church here by the Rev. E. H. Orear.

The bride wore a navy crepe dress and a navy blue hat. She carried navy accessories and a bouquet of pink roses and lace ferns.

Her attendant, Mrs. Lynn Waggener, was dressed in rust crepe and a brown hat to match. Her accessories were brown and her flowers yellow roses. Mr. Waggener was the bridegroom's only attendant.

Immediately after the ceremony, members of the bridal party and of the family attended a dinner at the home of Mrs. Anna Ansell, 504 Sikes avenue. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ansell of Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. Ansell was educated at the Holland public schools. Mr. Ansell attended school here. Both are employees at the International shoe factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansell are now at home at 508 Sikes avenue.

Returns From Capital

Judge T. F. Henry returned Thursday night from Jefferson City, where he went Wednesday morning to attend a state county judges' association meeting. He was accompanied by Presiding Judge J. W. Heeb and Judge and Mrs. Peter Gosche.

HELEN SMITH ACCEPTS
NEW POST IN WASHINGTON

Miss Helen Smith has accepted a new position with the Department of Reviews in Washington, D. C., she wrote in a letter to her parents, Judge and Mrs. William S. Smith. Miss Smith, who was formerly with the Department of Distribution, has also become a member of the faculty of the Thayer School of Dancing, which has moved to new quarters.

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MISSOURI HISTORY

Courtesy Missouri Historical Society

BIRTH OF THOMAS L. RUBEY

Educator, legislator and banker of Missouri, the nearly thirty years of public service of Thomas L. Rubey typify him as an ideal of the trusted, conscientious, unassuming and tireless type of public servant. Seldom in the limelight, in contrast to his distinguished fellow citizen of Lebanon, Missouri, Richard Parks Bland, Thomas L. Rubey nevertheless merits placement by Bland's side by virtue of his long career of devoted service to the educational and agricultural interests of Missouri.

Born on September 27, 1862, seventy-three years ago this week at Lebanon in Laclede county of well-known pioneer family, Rubey was eminently qualified to represent the interests which he served. As a boy he worked on a farm in Macon county and throughout life spent much of his time in hunting and fishing in his native Ozark hills for the people and beauty of which he came to form a life-long attachment.

His education in the public schools of Paris, Missouri, and of Lebanon and at the State University, where he received his A. B. and M. A. degrees in 1885 and 1889, together with his subsequent experience as superintendent of schools at Lebanon, as school commissioner of Laclede county and as instructor in the School of Mines at Rolla, eminently qualified him as an authority of public education. Also his position as a successful small-town banker and man of prominence, first at LaPlata, in Macon county, and then in his native Lebanon, gave him an intimate knowledge of the interests and practical need of a farming community.

Rubey's public career may be said to have begun in 1890 when he was nominated by the Democrats of Laclede county for the legislature and elected in a county that was predominantly Republican. Thereafter, until his election to Congress in 1910, his public life was closely identified with educational interests. As the chairman of the House committee on education in 1891, he worked for the betterment of the country schools and introduced in the House the first teachers institute law ever passed by the Senate. Largely through his efforts and influence the University received as a permanent endowment the \$646,958 returned to Missouri by the Federal Government for direct taxes paid by the State during the Civil war. As chairman of the special University committee of 1892, Rubey stoutly resisted the efforts made in the interests of other cities to change the location of the University from Columbia. During the same period, in 1890, he was elected and served

as president for the Southwest Teachers Association.

In 1898, Rubey moved to Macon county where he organized the bank of LaPlata after a seven year interval of teaching in the School of Mines from 1891 to 1898. Two years later, he returned to the legislature as Democratic Senator from the ninth Missouri district. In 1903 he was elected president pre tem, of the Senate and upon the resignation of John A. Lee as a result of the baking powder scandal upheaval, he became active lieutenant governor and served until 1905. During this period Rubey continued actively his efforts on behalf of education. He introduced into the Senate the school fund constitutional amendment which was finally adopted and ratified by the vote of the people, also the free textbook resolution submitted to the people in 1904. During the last two sessions he served as chairman on the committee on appropriations.

In 1905, Rubey moved back to Lebanon to engage in banking with his father, and in 1910, upon his election to Congress from the 16th Missouri district, transferred the scene of his legislative activities to Washington. Here he served for nearly sixteen years, identifying himself with the interests of agriculture, and was successively re-elected to Congress until 1928 with the exception of the Republican landslide of 1920. Outstanding among the agricultural measures with which he was identified during his long career of service on the House committee of agriculture, may be mentioned: A bureau of markets in the department of agriculture, provision for scientific agricultural extension service to farms, loans on farm lands by the Federal Reserve Banks, provision for vocational education, and the warehouse and food control bills. A warm supporter of good roads, he presided over the committee of the whole on the state of the Union during its consideration. Also, in one of Mr. Rubey's speeches was published the first schedule of parcel post rates, compared with express rates, in practically the same form in which it was finally incorporated in the post office bill.

An indefatigable worker, Mr. Rubey continued to serve in Congress beyond his physical strength and thereby undoubtedly hastened his death which occurred on November 2, 1928. He is buried in Lebanon, Missouri.

AGED BAPTISTS' HOME
AT IRONTON IS SUE

Ironton, Mo., Sept. 20.—The Missouri Home for Aged Baptists, a corporation, of Ironton, has been

named defendant in suit filed here by attorneys for Mrs. Minnie McKay Moore of Vernon county, for alleged breach of contract, it was learned today.

Mrs. Moore contends that on June 16, 1927, she executed deed conveying 267 acres of land to the home, with contract provision, she would be paid \$3 per acre each year during her natural life. The petition maintains payments were not made in accordance with contract, her copy of which has been lost or destroyed. Judgment for \$4,277.66 is asked, as well as return of the land.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS
BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

East St. Louis, Ill., Sept. 20.—A raging fire that destroyed property valued by owners and fire Chief James Ames at \$72,150 swept through a section of the national stockyards here today, leveling three warehouses and two small residences.

The fire was discovered shortly before 6 a. m. by a negro watchman.

By the time first firemen arrived the flames, which apparently originated in a wooden warehouse, had spread to several adjoining buildings and a general alarm was turned in. Fire fighting forces from East St. Louis, Belleville and Granite City responded.

Six hundred tons of hay, six mules and hog feed valued at \$2250 were burned. Fifty other mules were led to safety. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

BUILDING PERMITS
(September)

Ernest Wallace, five-room house in Applegate's north addition, \$2000; E. D. Smith, four-room residence in the Chamber of Commerce addition, \$500; I. Becker, moving house from East Center street to the Chamber of Commerce addition, \$250.

VIRGINIA U. TO REFUSE
ADM. TO NEGRO WOMEN

Richmond, Va., Sept. 20.—Alice Jackson, daughter of a Negro druggist here, will be refused admission to the University of Virginia, the Board of Visitors of that institution has decided. Meeting yesterday the board directed the dean to "refuse respectfully" the application for admission.

The young woman was an honor student at Smith College last year. Her application was one of several made with knowledge of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in a move to force State-supported institutions of higher learning in the South to accept Negro students.

WPA APPROVES FIVE
PROJECTS FOR DISTRICT

Washington, D. C. Sept. 20.—The Works Progress Administration today announced approval by President Roosevelt of \$1,133,000 federal fund allotment for the works program in Missouri. The sponsors of the projects have pledged \$262,354 additional.

Mathew S. Murray, Works Progress Administrator for Missouri, will designate certain projects, totaling \$1,254,646, including the following:

New Madrid County—Grading, draining and gravel surfacing road. Federal funds \$3928, sponsor's contribution \$11,431.

Perry County—Grading and graveling 3 miles of county road. Federal funds \$1376, sponsor's contribution \$1425.

St. Genevieve County—Construction of reinforced concrete culvert on Fourth street. Federal funds \$1006, sponsor's contribution \$383.

St. Francois County—Painting school. Federal funds \$456, sponsor's contribution \$108.

Stoddard County—Repairing bridge washouts caused by high water in Little River drainage near Vanduser. Federal funds \$4192, sponsor's contribution \$309.

Erskine Kidd, 27, was drowned at New Haven, Conn., during baptism services of the Second Colored Baptist Church. He was led into the water by the pastor and a deacon. He was immersed once in water knee deep, but as he arose he lunged from the grip of the two men holding his wrists and disappeared beneath the surface. His body was later recovered in water 12 feet deep.

Miss Grace Ham is an assistant teacher in the Reserve, Kan., High School. Busy at her work after school, she did not notice that the building was deserted, the janitor even having gone home. Incidentally, he had locked the doors from the outside. There was no telephone in the building and no passers-by. It was almost midnight before a searching party, alarmed at her absence from her boarding place, went to the school-house and released her. The news report does not say why she didn't open a window and step out.

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SIDE—AFFECTS HEART

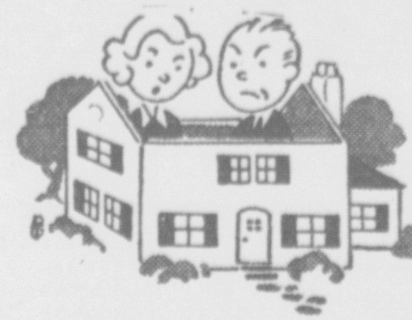
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been stolen from a house he owns, he decided to do a bit of sleuthing. That night he stood guard from dark to dawn. No one appeared. Next night he stood the same fruitless vigil. The following night he was too tired to do sentry duty, so he stayed home and slept. All the windows were stolen that night.

Harry Kerr returned Friday from St. Louis, where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

And It Rained
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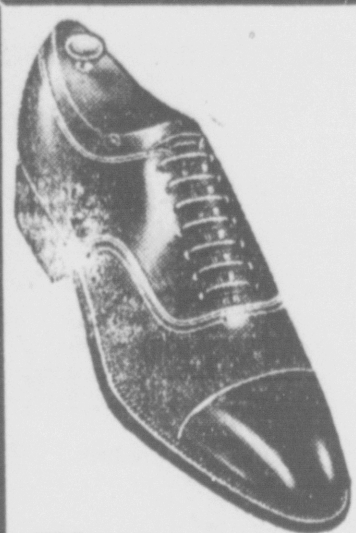
Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sitzes and Chas. Lee of Charleston spent Sunday here with the former's son, O. F. Sitzes, and family. Miss Doris Hazard of DeSoto returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Catholic Ladies, Bridge and Pinocle Party, Hotel Marshall October 3. Second of series. Not too late to compete for grand prizes.

Watch for Graham Academy weekly specials.
Forget the hum-drum of life

ten tons of coal. Well, before the edition was off the press we had a presentment that we had made a mistake in being funny. Monday we heard her tell someone that she was buying a new rug as an anniversary gift. Moral: Don't joke the wife.

Sikeston is fortunate in having the State Christian Endeavor meeting held here November 7, 8, 9, and 10. It is seldom that a city of this size is so honored and Sikeston as usual, will do her best to make each and every one feel at home. Full details will be printed from time to time as to manner in which all can co-operate to make this one of the most profitable and enjoyable ever held in the state.



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Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Stevenson had the following at dinner, last Friday: Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Jones, Mrs. Floyd Allbright and children of Sikeston; Mrs. Everett Lemons and daughter, Springfield, Ill.; Mrs. H. M. Fikes, Festus, and Mrs. C. B. Beauchamp, Hillsboro, Ill.

Why stay at home when you can enjoy a delightful afternoon at the Catholic Ladies' Bridge and Pinocle party at Marshall Hotel October 3?

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Edwards visited with relatives in Bloomfield the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Filling and children of St. Charles, Mo., spent the week-end here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ritter and family.

Watch for Graham Academy weekly specials.

Mrs. Max Reed and sister, Miss Bert Norrid, returned to Blytheville, Ark., yesterday, after being here with their sister, Mrs. C. M. Smith, Jr., who passed away last Wednesday. For the present, Mr. Smith and son have reserved a room at the Trousdale home on Kathleen avenue, at which place they have been living for some time.

Keep a place reserved in your date book for the Bridge-pinocle party sponsored by the Catholic Ladies at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth, of Poplar Bluff visited here Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Brase's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniels.

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Twenty-five were present at the Comrades class meeting held on last Thursday night at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Boyd Scillian. At this time a nominating committee was appointed to select new officers for the class. The next meeting of the class will be a Halloween party, the place to be announced later.

A perfectly good chance to meet old friends and acquaintances and enjoy the Bridge-pinocle party the ladies of the Catholic church are sponsoring at Marshall Hotel on October 3.

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The following were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniels, Saturday, Miss Olga Chandler, Cape Girardeau; John Paul Jones, Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Lee, Sikeston.

Mrs. H. J. Piant of Cape Girardeau visited here last Thursday and Friday with her brother, P. H. Stevenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Moore and children went to Bloomfield, Saturday night to visit with relatives.

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Mrs. H. M. Fikes of Festus, Mo., who had been visiting her parents Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Jones, and other members of the family, left yesterday for her home. She was accompanied to St. Louis by her sister, Mrs. Everett Lemons and daughter, Sue Ann, Springfield, Ill., and cousin, Mrs. C. B. Beauchamp of Hillsboro, Ill.

Miss Thelma Alexander has been absent from duties at the local WPA office since last Thursday, due to sickness.

Second of a series of six Bridge-Pinocle parties to be at Hotel Marshall October 3, sponsored by Catholic Ladies.

Poster Stamps in Color! Here's a new feature for Boys and Girls. It's Loads of Fun. Watch for the Beautiful Stamps in Color in the Comic Weekly of Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wald Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett of Bloomfield.

The Russell-Bradley Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold a rummage sale on October 12. Place to be announced later.

E. E. Arthur, who is very ill at his home, was reported yesterday morning, as having rested well Sunday night. J. H. Tyler, Sr., was reported to be holding his own. Mrs. E. J. Reese was reported as some better yesterday morning. Mrs. Reese has been ill since last Thursday.

Mrs. W. Frewer entertained at two tables of bridge, Saturday night, in honor of Mr. Frewer's birthday. Prizes were won by Mrs. Margaret Black and Mrs. Mildred Trousdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Matthews, sons, Glenn, Jr., and Floyd Alfred, and Miss Charlotte Dover spent Sunday in St. Louis.

Miss Myrtle Dalton returned here to teach Monday morning after a three-weeks' illness.

An all-day meeting of the L. A. W. Class, First Christian church, will be held today (Tuesday) at the home of Mrs. A. C. Etzell. A pot-luck dinner will be served at 12 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Neighbors lodge will be held on Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock, at the I. O. O. F. hall. Juvenile meeting at 3:15 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church, will be held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cox, Sr. The time will be spent in quilting.

Mrs. John L. Tanner, Mrs. Frank W. Van Horne, and Miss Alice Van Horne returned Sunday night after a trip through Kentucky with Mrs. Myra Mc-



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Connell and Mrs. Robert Lillard of Arlington, Ky. Leaving here Tuesday afternoon they went to Arlington where they remained until Wednesday morning. During the trip, they visited in Lexington and Paris, Ky., and saw the Jefferson Davis monument at Springfield, Ky., and Lincoln's cabin in Harrisburg.

On September 15, sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Heath and to Mr. and Mrs. Arch C. Laster. The Heath child has been named Robert Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Kennedy of near Sikeston announce the birth Wednesday of a daughter whom they have named Patricia Anne.

A son was born September 14 to Mr. and Mrs. Lendall Humphreys. He has been named William Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Murray of Sedalia, Mo., are the parents of 19 children, among them five sets of twins. Three of the sets are now enrolled at the Jefferson School.

BINGO PARTY

The Weekly Bingo party of the Catholic Ladies will be held on Wednesday afternoon 2 o'clock, in the old school hall. Hostesses: Mrs. Gordon Stroud, Mrs. Billie Walker and Mrs. Frank Vogel.

W. M. U. NEWS

The Royal Service program of the Woman's Missionary Union First Baptist church, will be held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. F. Sitzes. Mrs. Elzie Boardman, leader.

The Y. W. A. will meet tonight (Tuesday) with Mrs. Ruth Lee, The Intermediate G. A. will also meet tonight (Tuesday) with Mrs. Jack Johnson, president of W. M. U.

The Junior G. A. will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Dorothy Moll. All members of the W. M. U. and the Auxiliaries are asked to be present at the different meetings.

Drowns In Mississippi

Frank Kurtz, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz, formerly ferry boat operators, drowned in the Mississippi river near New Madrid Friday afternoon. The child died after he had fallen from a small boat in which he was riding alone.

BERTRAND GIRL MARRIED TO RAYMOND HARGRAVE

Miss Ruby Fitzpatrick of Bertrand and Raymond Hargrave of Sikeston were married in Poplar Bluff Saturday night. Cousins of the bride were attendants.

Mrs. Hargrave is a graduate of the Dichtstadt high school. Until her marriage she was employed at the Crossroads cafe. Mr. Hargrave, a son of Mrs. Maude Hargrave, attended school here. He is a member of the Simpson Oil station staff.

The bride and bridegroom are now at home at the residence of Mr. Hargrave's mother on Kathleen avenue.

MISSIONARY ZONE MEET AT ORAN WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday, a zone meeting of Methodist Missionary Societies, Scott County, will be held at Oran, which will start at 10:00 a. m. This is the silver anniversary year of the Woman's Missionary Council. A program will be presented and an address of welcome for new members of this year. All members urged to attend.

When Mrs. Josephine Smith opened school at Pateros, Washington, she had two pupils—both her own children. The district was without children of school age and advertised for a teacher who had "at least two youngsters." Mrs. Smith answered the ad and got the job.

There is an oil well in Cowley county, Kan., that flows only at night. It averages a production of 30 barrels a night.

PRICES FOR 20 CROPS ARE HIGHER, 27 LOWER

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 21.—Most recent survey of prices received by farmers for their products shows that out of fifty series of quotations, twenty were higher than a year ago, twenty-seven were less and three were the same, according to the United States Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates, E. A. Logan, Statistician for Missouri.

In general, grain prices are lower than at this time last year with the exception of corn. Vegetables and fruits are considerably less. Cotton is lower and wool about the same. Meat animals are much higher than a year ago; also poultry and dairy products are above last year with the possible exception of milk at wholesale. Butterfat is also under last year but country butter is higher.

Hay prices are down 40 to 50 per cent under those prevailing at this time last year. Grass seeds have all declined with the possible exception of sweet clover seed and timothy seed is only about 25 per cent of the price prevailing in the late summer of 1934.

Comparing prices prevailing now with those of 1932, out of forty-eight products, forty-three are higher and only five are lower, these products being apples (per bushel and barrel), pears, alfalfa seed, and timothy seed.

While Missouri farm prices have increased heavily over those prevailing in 1931, 1932, and 1933, the rates are not in most instances above those received six years ago in August, 1929. For instance, average state price of corn in August 1935 was 92 cents compared with \$1.03 in August 1929 and other leading products in the same order are wheat, 83 cents and \$1.15; oats 31 cents and 48 cents; potatoes, 70 cents and \$1.35; apples, 70 cents and \$1.25; hogs, \$10.60 and \$10.45 per hundred; average for all beef cattle, \$7.50 and \$10.45; veal calves, \$7.40 compared with \$12.00; sheep, \$3.60 against \$6.45; lambs, \$7.40 and \$11.00; butterfat, 20 cents per pound and 41 cents; wool, 22 cents and 33 cents; chickens, 13 cents and 21 cents per pound; eggs, 20 cents per dozen against 27 cents in August 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pierce and daughter, Mrs. Nadine Pierce Robertson, returned to their home in St. Louis, last Friday, after visiting here several days with relatives.

For the past few weeks large sections of the State of North Dakota have been overrun by myriads of toads, described as swarming over roads and fields, covering ditches and moving like a wave of superannated jumping beans. It was a general belief that they were "boiling over" from some satanic pit to infest the state. However, W. J. Breckenridge, assistant curator of the University of Minnesota, explains that they are merely seeking new homes in which they can hibernate because their breeding places have dried up.

When the teacher in the school at Bremen, Ohio, enrolled her class, she found two sets of twins, all from the same family and all in the same class. Frederick and Francis Kemp are just 7 and Mark and Mary Kemp are scarcely 6. They were born within the same year, children of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Kemp, farmers.

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Aquitted on Robbery Charge

Laverne Farr and R. L. Harris, New Madrid negro musicians charged with robbing Ed and Eva Dunn at a party they gave at their home near Cape Girardeau on Labor Day, were found not guilty of the charge when they were tried Friday during a circuit court session at Jackson. At the trial, the Duns contended the musicians robbed them of \$25 with a shotgun. The defendants said, however, that they only collected \$4.50 due them for their services at the party. Judge Frank Kelly cautioned the negroes not to use a shotgun to collect debts.

FORMER CONVICT KILLED IN WRECK IN STOLEN CAR

A man tentatively identified as George Williams, a former convict of Paducah, Ky., who recently escaped from the Eddyville, Tenn., jail, was killed on Highway 61 near Fredericktown late Saturday afternoon when the stolen automobile he was driving collided with a truck.

When he was found, the dead man was lying partly on the highway's shoulder. He had suffered a hole in his forehead, a crushed left shoulder and the left side of his chest, a mangled left arm, a fractured left knee, and a broken jaw. The car, which belonged to Kenneth Lankford of Cape Girardeau, was damaged beyond repair.

Williams was being held in jail to await trial on federal charges.

Killed When Car Leaves Road

Claude Pitman, 38-year-old farmer of near Delta, was killed almost instantly Sunday afternoon when the model T Ford in which he was riding plunged off the Delta and Drum road and turned over.

Pitman, who was pinned beneath car, suffered crushed head. The accident happened a mile and a quarter from Allenville, near the Pitman home. Witnesses did not determine the reason why the Ford suddenly left the road.

WHEAT FARMERS TO GAIN

Wheat farmers of New Madrid county are in a much stronger position through the action of the last session of Congress in passing several amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act says New Madrid county agent, Leslie Broom. These amendments through validating all the adjustment payments, processing taxes, and programs already in effect, enable wheat farmers to hold gains already made.

The amendment also enact law until December 31, 1937, the present wheat processing tax rate of 30 cents a bushel. In general the tax is to be the difference between the average farm price and the parity price, plus not more than 20 cents of the difference to cover credits, refunds, and exemptions.

An important feature of the amendments provides that farm mortgage interest rates and tax rates per acre must be considered in computing the fair exchange value of a commodity. This would increase the fair exchange value of wheat about 3 cents a bushel, based on the price on July 15.

If wheat prices reach or go above parity, certain minimum taxes may be levied to assure continuity of the programs. These taxes are to be based upon the prices during the first 10 months of a marketing year and the last two months of the preceding marketing year. Provision is made for adjustment of the processing tax rate in accordance with a specified formula. If this provision should be determined an improper delegation of authority, the tax rate reverts to 30 cents per bushel as set by congress.

Wheat farmers have an added protection against new surpluses through the amendments that allow payments for removal of surpluses, for expansion of domestic or foreign markets, or for the production of the domestically consumed portion of any basic agricultural commodity. Such payment would be financed from the 30 cents of gross customs receipts appropriated by congress for this purpose.

Under the ever-normal granary plan provided in the amendments, if the need arose, wheat could be stored in years of heavy production for use in years of possible shortage.

Another protection which the amendments give to wheat farmers is found in the provision making it possible for the president to limit imports of commodities competing with commodities for which adjustment programs are in effect.

PROJECTS FROM IMPORTS

Southeast Missouri farmers will share with other American farmers benefits resulting from provisions added to the agricultural

Adjustment Act by recently enacted amendments, according to New Madrid county agent Leslie Broom. These amendments can be used to protect American farmers from undue competition of imported agricultural products.

Under the act as amended, the president is given authority to limit imports of any agricultural commodity which tends to render an agricultural adjustment program ineffective. If the president has reason to believe the imports of a commodity, or articles made from it, are tending to offset the beneficial results of any adjustment program, he is directed to have an immediate investigation made by the United States tariff commission. Such investigation shall be given preference over others.

If the investigation indicates that imports are tending to nullify the adjustment program, the president is directed to get quotas to limit the total quantities of such commodities that may be imported. Quotas limiting imports, however, cannot reduce the average annual imports of a commodity by more than 50 per cent of the annual average imported during the period July, 1928, to July, 1933.

It should be emphasized that the imports of agricultural products during the past year did not affect the adjustment programs, as they were really not displacing products which American producers had for sale. They were supplementing drought shortages in American supplies. Furthermore, the presence of some imports was concrete evidence that American farmers were receiving prices for the first time in many years that were above the world price plus the tariff.

Electric production in the United States continues to gain. The index for the week ending September 7 advanced to 101.4. For the previous week the index stood at 100.8 and a year ago at this time it was 93.6. Incidentally, customers of private and municipal electric utilities have been saved \$60,000,000 in reduced rates during the past year.

Sales of farms by the Federal Land Banks up to August 1 of this year showed a 97 per cent increase compared with the corresponding period last year. So far this year a total of 4133 farms have been sold compared with 2093 in the same period of 1934. And the prices have been from 10 to 30 per cent greater.

Edgar Bean owned several novelty stores in Southwest Missouri and Southeast Kansas. When his 8-month-old boy died, a few weeks ago, Bean was so grief-stricken that he disposed of his stores and moved three residences overland from Mulberry, Kans., to Lamar, Mo. He vowed he'd never see the place again.

The best business since 1930 was forecast September 8 by the American Federation of Labor in its monthly business survey. "The last four months of 1935," the survey states, "may well bring the highest level of industrial operations and earnings for any similar period since 1930."



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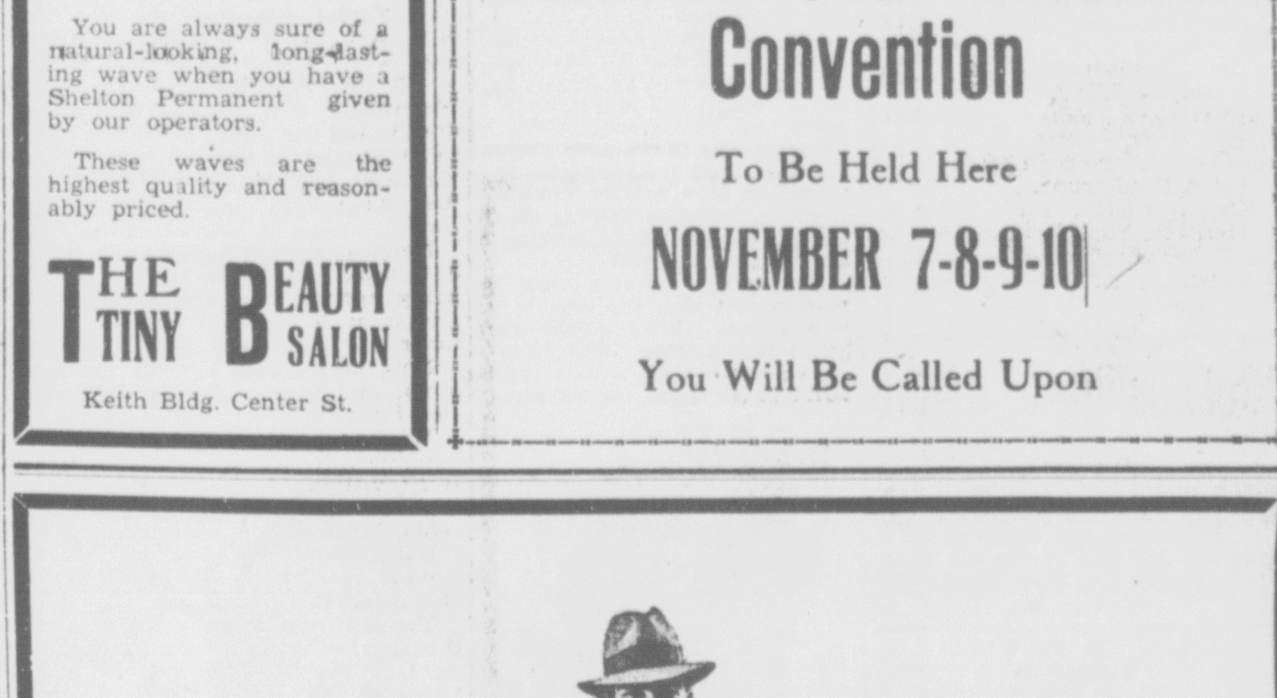
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Remodeling work was undertaken chiefly because Mr. Sellards required additional space for increased business. Consequently, the new display case was set closer to the door front of the market than the former one had been, leaving a large room in the rear, where sausage and lard will be made and meat cut.

SUFFERS FRACTURED SHOULDER WHEN STRUCK BY CAR NEAR MINER

William King of near Miner Switch suffered a fractured right shoulder blade and numerous cuts and bruises Friday afternoon when he was struck on Highway 60 by an automobile Ralph Armour was driving east.

The accident happened on the pavement at Miner Switch when King stepped from a westbound tractor drawn hay bailer and thresher into the path of Armour's model A Ford coupe.

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SYNOPSIS Malibu, a deer, and Gato, a mountain lion, have been raised together by Tom Martin, vacationing in the Sierras with her father, an author. Martin had written a book about the interesting experiment. However, on discovering that Gato had been raising the hen-coops and pig-pens of Bergman, a licensed guide, Bob Allen, a forest ranger, in love with Toni, was forced to order the animals turned loose. Two years later Toni returns. On her first night back she saves Malibu from Bergman's trap and Gato comes to her aid. Now Malibu is battling for his life with the master of a doe herd. The big buck is about to go through.

COILED DEATH Chapter Eight

It was then, the big buck made his fatal mistake. So sure of his victory was he, as he felt Malibu weaken beneath him that there was the barest perceptible slackening of his hold. But it was enough. Malibu heaved forward, his waning strength renewed by hope. In another second the larger buck was down on the ground with him. Scarcely able to see each other, for the dust their trampling hoofs had raised as they battled around the clearing, they kept fighting on, their horns locked together, pushing and straining all the time. But as the minutes wore by it was evident that the chief's nerve was broken. With a last mighty lunge Malibu tore away from the buck's horns, then, with a supreme burst of strength rushed him, his



Sang Soo, curious and amused, reached out at it with a stick

spikes coming at him full tilt. But the buck had had enough. Getting to his feet he staggered off, thoroughly defeated, a woeful, crestfallen figure. Malibu now shook himself, flushed with victory. Then he and his new found mate set off through the forest, walking slowly through the peaceful groves, content and happy. Trailing him obediently and willingly over the boulders, the doe would graze by his side and wade beside him through the babbling mountain pools.

And soon, on a day when a light snow was falling, Malibu found shelter for himself and his doe. Set in between some boulders and trees it was ideally located on the crest of a small knoll.

Then as time passed, the snow melted and vanished from the ground and the beauty of summer was again in the forest, with its green trees and wild flowers in full bloom.

And now the shelter housed a new-born fawn. Malibu would watch it proudly hour after hour as it lay nursing by the side of its mother.

One day as he was leaving the shelter to plunge into the forest, the doe after a minute of indecision trotted along with him. The fawn watched them for a few moments then he too, darted off after them. In the woods that day, Bergman's helper, Joe, was engaged in the task of tying a bunch of carrots to a piece of rawhide hanging to a tree. Close by Bergman deftly attached a gun to a neighboring shrub, then, standing at the butt, he sighted off to get a bead on the carrots.

Malibu and his little family nibbled busily at the tender grasses as they wandered through the thicket. Then raising her head toward the low branches, the doe's eyes lit on the carrots. She stared at them, moved closer, sniffing around at them suspiciously with a backward glance at Malibu and the fawn.

Gradually, however, she became convinced that it was safe to eat them. Putting up her head to nibble at them she jerked them to one side. Simultaneously, there came the loud report of the rifle.

At the base of the tree the doe crumpled and fell to the ground, mortally wounded, her last agonized glance searching for her family. Malibu and the fawn now ran to her side. The young one moved closer to her and laid its little head beside hers as if he would give her warmth of his own life. Then he glanced up at his father in mute question. What had happened to the mother? He looked at her. But Malibu could only stand there in shocked bewilderment.

The fawn bent and licked its mother's ear. At this Malibu tried to force him aside by nudging him gently with his nose. Instinctively,

Personal and Local Items From Brown Spur

Miss Hester Atkinson left Monday for St. Louis where she will take a business course there this winter.

Ruth Crowell, Jack Crowell, Fred Brower and Shirley Chapman were Blodgett visitors Sunday.

Mr. Jess Daniels and family visited Mr. Carl Pearson and family of Pharris Ridge Sunday.

Mr. Emory Tithy was the Saturday night guest of Oscar Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser of the Landers Ridge vicinity had as guests Tuesday the formers' sisters Ellen and Ruth Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dandy are visiting Mrs. Dandy's mother, Mrs. Frank Larne of Sikeston, Mo.

Miss Lorina Heuser, returned home last week, she had been visiting her sister Mr. and Mrs. John Hodge of Kewanee.

Misses Ruth Crowell Dolly Chapman, Mary Boston and Minnie String attended a dance at Puxico, Mo., Saturday night.

Dolly Chapman has been a Brown Spur visitor for the past week. She returned to her home near Morehouse Sunday.

Mr. J. Daniels, Shirley Chapman, Jack and Oscar Crowell went to New Madrid Monday on business.

The dance given at the P. V. Brannon home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Durel Alcorn was a success from start to finish. The bride received many beautiful gifts everyone wishes them a long and happy life together.

Miss LaVetta Beck was a visitor at the Thompson home Sunday.

Mr. Lyle Byrd had as guests old friends from Laforge Sunday.

Those from here who shopped in Sikeston Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Henison and children, Lynn, Elma, Lenina and Vernia. Mr. and Mrs. J. Daniels and children Faye and Hartsell, Leonard, Jack and Oscar Crowell, Arthur Atkinson, George Hunt and family and Mr. Lyle Byrd.

Personal And Society Items From Morley

Joe Emerson went to Cairo Sunday to accept a position with a Cotton Oil Co.

Mrs. Alford Bryant and children went to Chaffee Saturday to visit the formers' sister, Mrs. Fowler. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jewley and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Helley of St. Louis were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Halley.

Mrs. I. L. Anderson spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Dogwood. Mr. L. C. Leslie and daughter,

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MO To the November Term, A. D. 1935

ACTION FOR DIVORCE NO. 5278 ORDER OF PUBLICATION

James Bullis, Plaintiff, VS. Hermione Bullis, defendant.

On this 12th day of September, 1935, in vacation of the Circuit Court of Scott Co., Mo., comes Plaintiff herein by his attorney, M. G. Gresham, before the undersigned Clerk of said Circuit Court, and files his petition and affidavit for Divorce, alleging therein, among other things that the Defendant, Hermione Bullis, is not a resident of the State of Mo., and can not be served with the usual and ordinary process of the law of this State.

WHEREUPON, IT IS THE ORDER OF THE UNDERSIGNED CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, in vacation, that publication be made, notifying the said defendant, Hermione Bullis, that the Plaintiff herein has commenced an action against her by petition in the Circuit Court of Scott Co., Mo., the object and general nature of which is to dissolve the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant.

AND, unless said Defendant, Hermione Bullis, shall be and appear in the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott in the State of Missouri to be begun and held at the Court-House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on the Second Monday in November, next 1935 to-wit: MONDAY THE 11TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1935, and shall then and there, on or before the first day of said term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition in said cause, the said petition will be taken as by her confessed and judgment rendered accordingly as prayed for in said petition.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy hereof be published in The Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in Scott County, Missouri, once a week for four successive weeks, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the said November Term, 1935 of this Court, to which this cause is returnable.

L. J. Pfefferkorn, Circuit Clerk, IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have affixed the seal of said Court. Done at my office in the Town of Benton, Missouri, this 12th day of September A. D. 1935.

L. J. Pfefferkorn, Circuit Clerk.

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Miss Nancy of Washington D. C. arrived late Monday for a visit with the formers' mother, Mrs. Lottie Leslie and his son, Joe. Mrs. L. C. Leslie stopped in Charleston with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Greggs and daughter of Sikeston were dinner guests at the U. G. Ragains home Sunday.

Mrs. Mack Morgan of Hayti, is here this week at the bedside of her father, U. A. Emerson, who has been ill the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bess and two daughters of Flat River were week-end guests of Mrs. Bess' mother, Mrs. Flora Daugherty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnston and baby left Friday for St. Louis and Mineral Point. The former interred the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis for treatment of his fingers while Mrs. Johnston is visiting relatives at Mineral Point.

Mrs. Phoebe Black left Monday for Denver, Colo., to be with her sister who is ill.

Mr. Richard Whittaker and Miss Maxine Daugherty of Campbell were six o'clock dinner guests of Mrs. Maud Daugherty and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Charter and Mrs. C. C. Bryeans returned to their homes in Lime Haute, Ind. Sunday after being called here 10 days previous to be with their mother, Mrs. Dora Cangleton who broke her hip. Mr. and Mrs. Shorter will return in a few days to remain during Mrs. Cangleton's stay in the hospital. Her condition is fairly good.

Mrs. Melnette of St. Louis was a guest of her brother, E. W. McDonough last Friday. They had not seen each other for 24 years.

Mrs. Ethel Foster of Racine, Wis., is visiting Mrs. Lita Foster this week.

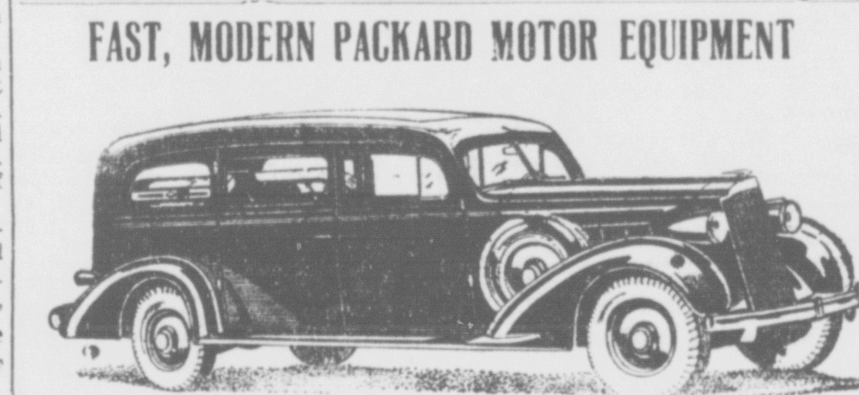
Messrs. G. D. Harris and J. F. Little were recent business visitors at Vinna, Ill.

Mrs. Lita Foster returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks in Metropolis and other points in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Foster of St. Louis spent the week-end with Mrs. Lita Foster and Mrs. Elsie Norman.

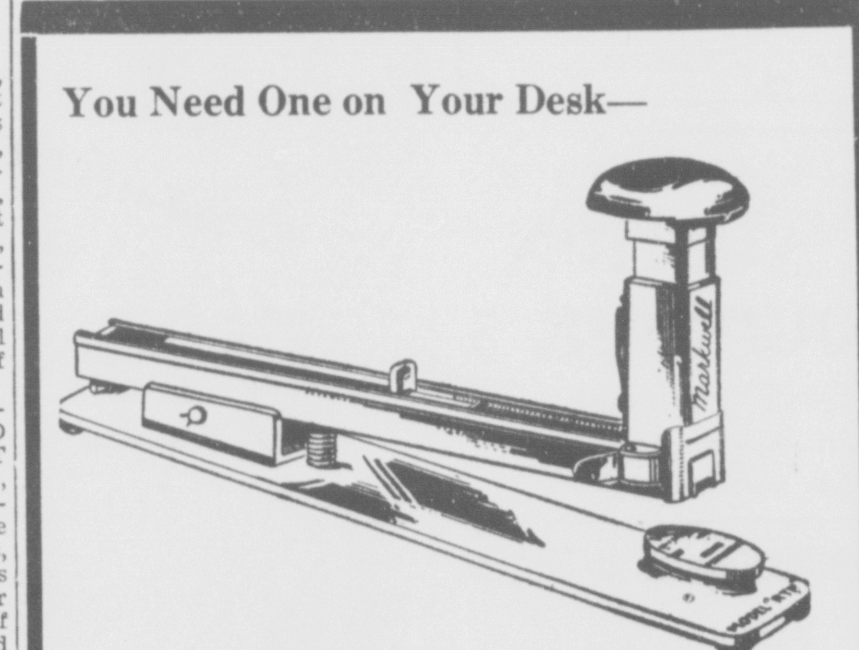
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In Sikeston

Mary Lou Ford of Sikeston was Morley visitor over the week-end. September 29 is the date for the Homecoming and basket dinner at the Baptist church.

A number of old-age pension applicants from Morley were in Benton, Tuesday on business.

FARMERS' WEEK TO BE HELD FROM OCTOBER 8-19

A wide diversification of topics of timely interest to every farmer and farm women of Southeast Missouri is offered in the thirtieth annual Farmers' Week program to be held at the Missouri college of agriculture, October 8-19.

Eleven departments of the college offer more than one hundred lectures, discussions, and demonstrations, a complete printed program of which may be secured from New Madrid county agent, Leslie B. Brown.

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CCC ENROLLMENT TO BE INCREASED TO 600,000

Announcing a drive to increase the civilian conservation corps enrollment to its 600,000 legal limit mark, corps officials Thursday dropped the minimum age limit 18 to 17 years and stated that members of families still on relief who had served at least four months may re-enroll.

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Personal And Society Items From Matthews

(Items from last week)
Marriage
Friends have been apprised of the marriage sometime recently, of Miss Deane Whitten of this city, to Ellis Reed of Oak Ridge.

Mrs. Reed is the charming and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten, prominent farmers of this community. She is a graduate of the Sikeston High School and has since been employed by the Robert Store Co. of this place. She is a talented young lady, active in church and social work and very popular with the younger set.

The groom, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed of Oak Ridge has taught school in this community a number of years where he has made a host of friends by his attractive personality. He has attended the Cape Girardeau teachers college and University of Ark. A young man of steady habits and sterling qualities he enjoys the respect and esteem of all who know him.

They have not disclosed their future plans but will in all probabilities continue to make this city their home.

Mrs. Jack Hartzle and children, Charley and Jean spent the week end in Sikeston with their daughter and sister Mrs. Roy Gray and family.

Mrs. Davis Morgan spent Friday in Sikeston with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt.

W. A. Dunlap returned here Friday after having spent the past week with relatives in Sardis, Miss.

Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates went to Canolau, Sunday, where Rev. Yates filled his regular appointment at the M. E. church.

Mrs. Carrie Anderson left Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives in Golconda, Ill.

Miss Helen Deane, Rev. Herschel Yates and Nelson Lumsden who are attending college in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mrs. L. Carter, spent Monday near Canolau with Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Nannie Wright.

Mrs. Addie Comstock, of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting her brother Mr. Louis Jones and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Spence Vaughn and children visited friends in New Madrid, Sunday.

U. R. Binford and son Maurice, were business visitors in Cape Girardeau Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hicks, of Sikeston, visited the latter's mother Mrs. Menda Atchley, Sunday.

A large number from Matthews attended the Circus in Sikeston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh May visited with relatives in Morley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will York and little daughter of Miner Switch and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Binford and children of Morehouse spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Binford.

Rev. D. M. Margraves of Aniston visited friends in Matthews, Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Rice and little son Joe Perry Jr., of St. Louis visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Cora Gossett, here a few days last week.

Mrs. Francis Cole spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beeson of Kewanee.

Mrs. A. F. Deane was removed to her home here Wednesday after having spent the past two weeks in St. Francis hospital in Cape Girardeau. Mrs. Deane underwent an appendicitis operation and is now doing nicely.

The teachers of this place attended the teachers meeting in New Madrid, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and children of Tiptonville, Tenn., spent Sunday here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King, Mrs. W. V. Moore, who is here visiting her parents from Casper, Wyoming, accompanied her brother and family home for a short visit.

Supt. John W. Huckstep accompanied the High School students including Junior High to Cape Girardeau, Sunday to attend the concert at Houck Field Stadium. The concert was given by the championship American Legion Band of St. Louis, and was much enjoyed by everyone.

Mrs. Olen Critchlow and baby and Mrs. Alfred Byrd shopped in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Bynum and baby visited friends in LaForge, Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Cole and daughter, Mrs. Don Kochel of Canolau visited her brother W. N. Roberts and family, Tuesday.

WOMANS CLUB TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE OCT. 5
The Womens Club will have a rummage sale on Saturday, October 5. Your patronage is solicited.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture predicts that the nation's farmers will have a cash income of 6 billion dollars in 1935, the largest in five years.

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

(Items from last week.)
Mr. Harry McFarling of Memphis, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling, here last Friday.

Paul James who has been in Michigan the past few months returned home Saturday.

Mrs. L. E. Estes and daughter, Mrs. Cloe Ray of Essex, were visitors here Tuesday.

Miss Deloma Station and R. C. Garner of Cape Girardeau, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Come, Sundays.

George Smart of New Madrid was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

Weaver Bryant and Leonard Height transacted business in Hayti, Monday.

Rev. J. W. Heuitt preached at Jackson Grove in the Baptist Mission, Sunday.

Mrs. Iva Mocabee shopped in Essex, Monday.

Rev. A. C. Sullivan officiated at an Ordination service in Canolau Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. Tom Arnold of Essex, Morton Barnett of Idalia, Mrs. Floria Patterson, and Mrs. Anna Barnett and son, Joe of here visited Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. J. H. Pearcy at Ellery, Ill. and Mrs. Frank Reel at Mount Carmel, Ill., Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin of Vanduser, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. Harrison Fox, of here, attended services at McKendree Chapel, the first protestant church west of the Mississippi River, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark and children of Hammond, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Dink Mosier of Rileyville, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James last week.

Jess Johnson of Cape Girardeau, and Alta Alberts of Illmo, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate.

A surprise birthday dinner was given in honor of Mrs. J. P. Townsend, Sunday, who lives south of town. There were 65 persons present. All enjoyed a nice time.

Dick Sarff of Little Rock, Ark., was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

Our first bale of cotton was ginned here Saturday. The cotton was brought in by Tom Jennings.

The meeting that was in progress at the Baptist church by Rev. A. C. Sullivan, closed Sunday night.

The Cotton Gin has been repaired and repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boyl and children of Blodgett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Barnett, Sunday.

Melvin Sullivan, Harry Cook, Claude Delday, Roy Reeves, and Boyd Crowder, attended the ball game at St. Louis, Sunday.

Misses Alma Premerman, Elizabeth Hoehn, Ludine Davis, and Margaret Sallup, shopped in Poplar Bluff, Saturday.

Leonard Davis has repainted his home.

Edd Skates of St. Louis, was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate last week.

Mr. O. D. Edwards, and son, Lacy, are transacting business in Forneft, this week.

Mrs. George Schaffer, who has been ill the past few weeks, is reported to be much improved.

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

(Items from last week)
Mrs. W. P. Townsend was pleasantly surprised Sunday when a large crowd of friends and relatives gathered at her home at the noon hour with well filled baskets of dinner to help her celebrate her birth anniversary. A most enjoyable time was spent by all that were present.

J. F. Selton of Canolau and G. L. Bohannon of Pharris Ridge were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lamal and children spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Kewanee.

A large number of folks from here viewed the street parade in Sikeston Saturday morning.

Zelma Kem, Raymond and James Johnson, and Marion Shipman of Morehouse spent Sunday afternoon with Mildred and Margaret Crosno.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tetley and family of Pharris Ridge.

Edwyna Johnson spent the week end with Opal Bartin of Pharris Ridge.

Rev. Tyler of Boekerton, conducted church services at Landers Ridge school house Sunday morning and evening.

Weekly prayer meetings are held every Thursday evening at Landers Ridge school house. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mildred Lomel spent Sunday afternoon with Inell Moore.

Quite a number of school children from here attended the band concert at Cape Girardeau Sunday evening.

Ed Simeors of Boekerton spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Russell Crosno and family.

Geo. T. Johnson and J. B. Lamal enjoyed the matinee at Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. James Lomal and children shopped in Sikeston Saturday evening.

Herman Moore spent Sunday evening with Loren Porter.

STATE SCHOOL MONEY APPORTIONED IN COUNTY

The annual school apportionment has been made and the first payment was divided as follows. The second payment is due March 15. The payment herein outlined, represents 25.5185139 per cent of total due from the state under the law, and the amount is about \$11,000 greater than was given the county at this time last year.

Graysboro	\$156.83
Illmo	\$2,826.73
Forneft	\$3,216.07
Rockview	\$335.36
Chaffee	\$5,525.12
Kelso	\$1,086.10
Head	\$156.13
Commerce	\$1,524.25
Macedonia	\$173.68
Wylie	\$146.06
Bleda	\$322.42
New Hamburg	\$639.78
Big Island	\$138.66
Benton	\$2,396.78
Oran	\$2,787.60
Bryeans	\$308.66
Perkins	\$1,106.61
Campbell	\$161.07
Owensby	\$209.70
Hickory Grove	\$148.73
Morley	\$3,011.77
Hunter (near Oran)	\$154.96
Hoos	\$503.61

Lusk	\$445.94
Lemons	\$137.53
Blodgett	\$3,721.66
Vanduser	\$2,390.26
Crowder	\$489.56
Sand Prairie	\$327.14
McMullin	\$97.36
Diehlstadt	\$3,392.92
Lennox	\$147.51
Tanner	\$148.75
Hunter (near Sikeston)	\$296.46
Chaney	\$332.23
Dunaver	\$209.32
Miner Switch	\$228.67
Stringer	\$139.93
Baker	\$354.11
Greer	\$134.97
Sikeston	\$7,807.97
Ancell	\$292.27
Total	\$48,130.68

NEGRO BOUND TO COURT ON CHARGE OF MURDER

James Souers, a negro accused of shooting Andy Whittington, a second negro, to death at Whittington's home in Wyatt July 28, was bound over to the October term of the Mississippi county circuit court last week after a preliminary hearing in Charleston.

In a justice court, Souers contended he killed Whittington in self-defense after Whittington had threatened him with a chair. The state charged that Souers walked three miles to borrow the shotgun used in the murder over a \$1.25 gambling debt.

BECK HEARING POSTPONED

A hearing for Homer Beck, charged with shooting the Rev. A. L. Shomaker August 29 has been postponed until October 3 because Beck's attorney, Roger A. Bailey was ill at the time of the scheduled preliminary Thursday.

Beck allegedly shot Shomaker because he objected to the clergyman's attentions to his daughter. He has been free on a \$1000 bond.

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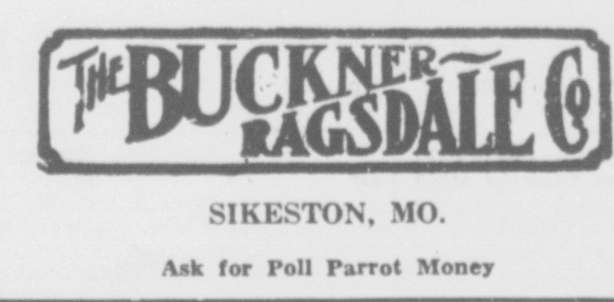
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ILLMO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2.
BLODGETT, FRIDAY, OCT. 4.
COMMERCE, MONDAY, OCT. 7.
PERKINS, TUESDAY, OCT. 8.
KELSO, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9.
CROWDER, THURSDAY, OCT. 10.
VANDUSER, FRIDAY, OCT. 11.
MORLEY, MONDAY, OCT. 14.
CHAFFEE, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY OCT. 15-16.
DIEHLSTADT, THURSDAY, OCT. 17.
ORAN, FRIDAY, OCT. 18.
SIKESTON, MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 22, 23.
ANCELL, THURSDAY, OCT. 24.

In writing for TAX STATEMENTS to pay by mail please do so before DECEMBER 10, as we are very busy in the office after that date, taking care of CASH BUSINESS.

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Also with Charles Butterworth and Harvey Stephens.
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BELL CITY POSTMASTER'S
SON ACCUSED OF STEALING
CHECK FROM MAIL POUCH

Charged with burglary and larceny and with destroying the United States mail, Melvin Henson, 23-year-old son of A. J. Henson, postmaster at Bell City, was placed in the Bloomfield jail Friday night.

According to Constable W. R. Palfreeman of Bell City who investigated the case, Henson has been identified by a Cape Girardeau business man as the person who cashed a stolen check for \$22.57 on August 22.

The check was taken from a mail pouch removed from the Bell City railroad station on August 15, was made payable to Piclor Sherer of near Commerce and had been made out by William Lindell of Cairo on the Cairo National Securities Bank.

Later, Palfreeman, said, the mail pouch and several packages of merchandise it contained were found partly burned at a place two and a half miles from Bell City. Enough of the contents remained unburned so that identification could be made.

The Bell City railroad station has been robbed three times since January.

THE WEATHER

The following high and low temperatures were recorded at the Frisco station by John LaFont:

	High	Low
Thursday	89	61
Friday	93	59
Saturday	93	61
Sunday	92	62
Monday		64

Only 49 of an inch of rain has fallen this month, Mr. LaFont said. During a satisfactory September, between four and five inches are recorded.

East Prairie Club to Hold Fair

Members of the East Prairie Lions club will sponsor an autumn fair during the last week in October, it has been announced. Renting equipment, the club will stage four days of entertainment and allow business houses to display merchandise in booths. Proceeds will be used for lighting the city park and for the benefit of the Boy Scout troop.

FRED WHITE

Fred White, 47-year-old negro, died Sunday on the Jim Barber farm near here. Funeral services were held at the negro Baptist church at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Rev. Wolf officiating. Burial was in the Sunset cemetery. White, who was born in

Natchez, Miss., had lived until recently at Neelyville. Welsh service.

Child Cut With Butcher Knife

The infant daughter of Robert Jones suffered a laceration on her face Sunday afternoon when she fell on a butcher knife while she was playing at her home on Fletcher street. The wound was treated by Dr. H. M. Kendig.

COLLAR BONE FRACTURED
FROM BLACKJACK BLOW

Grover Wilson of south of La-Forge was treated for a fractured collar bone Sunday by Dr. T. C. McClure. Wilson said he sustained the fracture when he was struck with a blackjack but did not give a detailed account of the incident.

MRS. ROBERTS ELECTED
AUXILIARY PRESIDENT

At the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. Ben Welter the following officers for the ensuing year were elected and will be installed at the next meeting: President, Mrs. T. A. Roberts; first vice-president, Mrs. Ben Welter; second vice-president, Mrs. Art Burroughs; third vice-president, Mrs. Loomis Mayfield; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Lyle Malone; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Uri Rabb; historian, Mrs. C. C. Cummings; chaplain, Mrs. G. H. Presnell.

After the close of the business meeting the Auxiliary joined the Legion at the Armory where the new officers of the Legion were installed. At the close of the installation exercises a social hour was enjoyed and a very enjoyable lunch was served by the Legion to their guests.

For Mrs. Hughes

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Walter Hughes at her home Sunday, and dinner was served to twenty-nine guests. Those who were present to enjoy the affair were Walter Hughes and sons, Stoy Lee and Walter; Henry Hughes; Mr. and Mrs. Homer York and nieces, Beatrice and Mary Alice Stanley; Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray and children, Charles Howard and Betty; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pratt and daughters, Ethel Marie and Gladys Charline; Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Taylor and children, Harold and Alfreda Lynn, all of Sikeston; Mrs. Harry Ledbetter of Parma, Jim Carmody, Mrs. Winona and Marie Holder, Mrs. Ruth Tippy, Mrs. Helen Wineam of Miner and Mrs. Rhody York and son, Drewe, of Kewanee.

MANY ATTENDING LEGION
CONVENTION IN ST. LOUIS

Among Sikeston residents who are attending sessions of the American Legion's national convention in St. Louis this week are these: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Montgomery and their son, Bobby Montgomery; T. A. Slack; J. N. Hitchcock; E. G. Buchanan; Mrs. Dick Hopper; Bill Sikes; Mr. and Mrs. Loomis Mayfield and their children, Loomis, Jr. and Marilyn Mayfield; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson; Dr. and Mrs. Chester W. Limbaugh; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts; Mr. and Mrs. Tanner C. Dye; Mr. and Mrs. Ben J. Welter; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dye; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins and their daughters, Mary Jane and Betty Wayne Cummins; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilcox; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warner; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Oscar Carroll; Mr. and Mrs. Arba Sensenbaugh; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hirschberg; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slinkard.

Curtis Black, convicted bank robber, chose an ingenious mode of escape from the Oklahoma State Prison at McAlester—but failed in his attempt. Fellow convicts, engaged with him on a masonry job, cemented him in a wall, leaving a few air holes for breathing purposes. When a check disclosed that he was missing, guards tapped the wall until they detected a hollow sound. There they dug out Black, who had a hammer with which he planned to make his escape. He had been in the wall 18 hours.

Mrs. Helen Bonewicz, separated from her husband, informed Joe Studney of Cleveland that she no longer appreciated his attentions. So, when he met her on the street he hurled a vial of acid in her face, probably disfiguring her for life. Said he: "I wanted to fix her so no one else would want her. Then I could marry her no matter what she looked like."

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Snappy new patterns in Firths International Hooked Rug Reproductions at \$55.00 are taking the day with careful buyers of style rugs. Many other good values are available at lower cost.

Sealy Mattresses—Inner Springs of course—Our experience of 35 years in selling mattresses teaches us there are none that give better satisfaction than Sealy. See the new De Luxe number at \$39.50 if you are interested in the best. Other good ones as low as \$14.95.

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About the same number of reconditioned coal heaters—new fire pots and linings where needed—better take your choice early—make small down payment to bind trade—good used heaters always move out quickly when frost begins to fly.

Beautiful Kimball Piano—expensive model when new—A-1 condition both as to appearance and performance—at a give-away price.

Number of Florence oil ranges with built-in ovens—some of them repossessed—take 'em along at low prices and pay by week or month.

New lot of late patterns in sofa pillows—75c and \$1.25. Tied and dyed table covers and scarfs to match—lower than ever.

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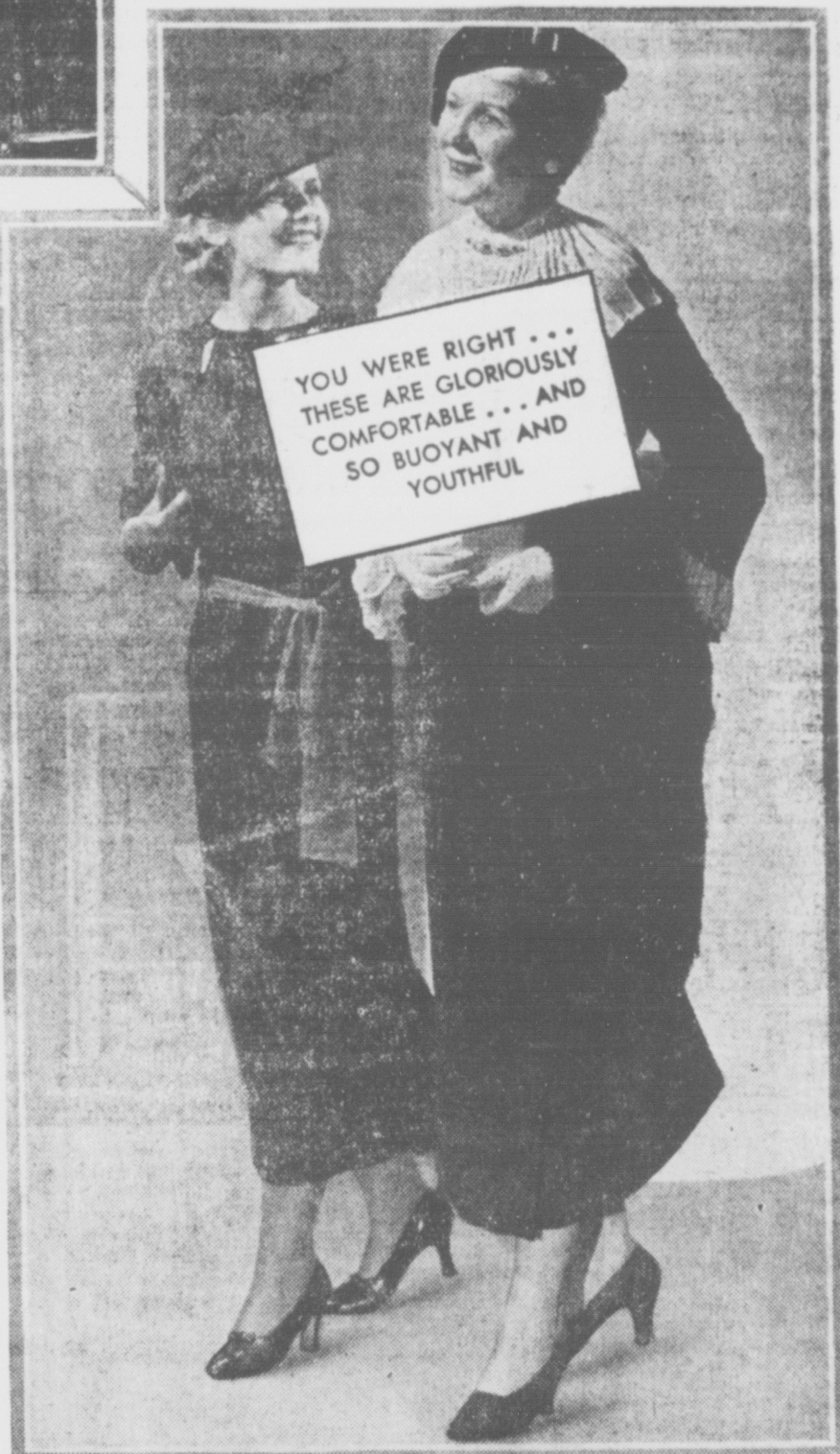
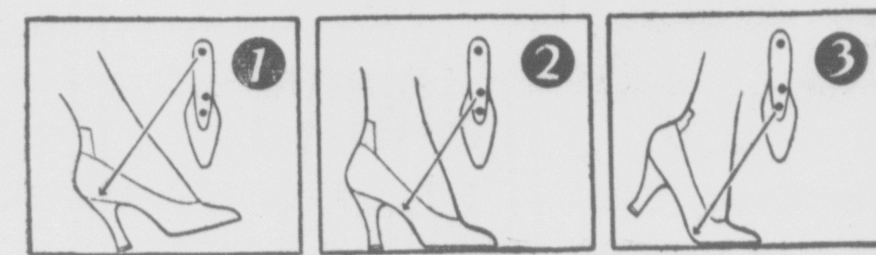
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